

Arlington Conservation Commission

Date: Thursday, August 20, 2020

Time: 7:30 PM

Location: Conducted by Remote Participation

Agenda

1. Administrative

a. In accordance with the Governor's Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G. L. c. 30A, § 20 relating to the COVID-19 emergency, the August 20, 2020 public meeting of the Arlington Conservation Commission shall be physically closed to the public to avoid group congregation. The meeting shall instead be held virtually using Zoom.

Topic: Conservation Commission Meeting

Time: August 20, 2020 07:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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Members of the public are strongly encouraged to send written comment regarding any of the hearings listed below to Conservation Agent Emily Sullivan at esullivan@town.arlington.ma.us.

Please read Governor Baker's Executive Order Suspending Certain Provision of Open Meeting Law for more information regarding virtual public hearings and meetings: https://www.mass.gov/doc/open-meeting-law-order-march-12- 2020/download

- b. Review draft 07/23/2020 minutes.
- c. Review draft 08/06/2020 minutes.
- d. Discuss English Ivy infestation along the Spy Pond Route 2 pathway
- e. Review the roles and responsibilities of the Commission Chair and Vice Chair

2. Discussion

a. DPW Renovation Working Session

This project proposes a new/renovated Municipal Facility to support the DPW, ISD, Facilities, and IT departments at 51 Grove Street. The proposed site includes the current 4.4-acre parcel, used by

DPW / ISD, and an adjacent 1.4-acre portion of Town-owned land for a total of 5.8 acres. Sections of the site are within the 100-ft Wetlands Buffer, AURA, and 200-ft Riverfront Area of Mill Brook, as well as floodway and floodplain.

The work includes demolition of the existing ancillary salt/sand storage structures and fueling system, renovation of the four existing structures (Buildings A, B, C, and D), construction of a new 2-story 43,000 square-foot operations building, construction of a new salt storage structure, construction of a new state-of-the-art fueling system, and overall site improvements.

Overall, the new facility includes numerous significant improvements to both the site and operations, including:

- improved stormwater and runoff management
- improved storage of vehicles, equipment and materials (indoor vs. outdoor)
- improved storage and handling of liquid petroleum products
- improved vehicle washing operations
- b. Regulations Update: Section 33 Stormwater Management

3. Hearings

Request for Determination of Applicability: 22 Lawrence Lane

Request for Determination of Applicability: 22 Lawrence Lane Arlington File #A20.3

The project proposes to build a new deck and renovate an existing patio within the 100-ft Wetlands Buffer and AURA of an isolated wetland. The proposed project will reduce the amount of impervious surface by 231 square feet.

Request for Certificate of Compliance: Spy Pond Edge and Erosion Control Project

Request for Certificate of Compliance: Spy Pond Edge and Erosion Control Project MassDEP File #091-0299

The project as approved proposed shoreline stabilization and ecological restoration activities on the Town-owned properties located at Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, and area west of the Boys and Girls Club in the 100-ft wetlands buffer and AURA of Spy Pond. The project was approved on 09/05/2018.



Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

Review draft 07/23/2020 minutes

Summary:

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Arlington Conservation Commission

Date: July 23, 2020 Time: 7:30pm

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Minutes

Attendance: Commission Members Susan Chapnick (Chair), Pam Heidell, Dave Kaplan, Nathaniel Stevens, Chuck Tirone (Vice Chair), and David White; Associate Commissioners Cathy Garnett and Mike Gildesgame; and Conservation Agent Emily Sullivan. Members of the public included Theresa Stremlau, Ted Braveman, Jaycee Do, Ellen Cohen, James Word, Brendan Horigan, Virginia Boutchia, Dan Wells, Mary O'Connor, Daniel St. Clair, Kyle Zick, and Julia Mirak Kew.

47 Spy Pond Lane Restrictive Covenant

The Commission discussed edits to the draft restrictive covenant for 47 Spy Pond Lane. The restrictive covenant is for both Lots 1 and 2, and ensures that the porous driveways and walkways outside of conservation Conservation Commission jurisdiction are porous in perpetuity. The restrictive covenant is required per the Orders of Condition for MassDEP File #091-0317 and #091-0318. N. Stevens motioned to approve the restrictive covenant as edited, D. White seconded, all were in favor, motion approved.

Deliberation: Notice of Intent: 869 Mass Avenue, Arlington High School MassDEP File #091-0323

Documents Reviewed:

- 1) Notice of Intent for work at Arlington High School, 869 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington MA prepared by HMFH Architects and Samiotes Consultants, Inc., dated 05/07/2020
- Existing Conditions Plan Set for Arlington High School, 869 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington MA prepared by HMFH Architects and Samiotes Consultants, Inc., stamped by James P Horgan PLS#50302, dated 04/23/2020
- Civil Engineering Plan Set for Arlington High School, 869 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington MA prepared by HMFH Architects and Samiotes Consultants, Inc., stamped by Stephen R Garvin PE#42772, dated 05/07/2020
- 4) Sports Fields Plan Set for Arlington High School, 869 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington MA prepared by HMFH Architects and JJA Sports LLC, stamped by John J Amato PE#34799, dated 05/07/2020
- 5) Stormwater Report for Arlington High School, 869 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington MA prepared by HMFH Architects, Crosby/Schlessinger/Smallridge

LLC, and Samiotes Consultants, Inc., stamped by Stephen R Garvin PE#42772. dated 05/07/2020

- 6) Supplemental Materials submitted for the 06/04/2020 meeting Resource Areas:
 - 1) Mill Brook
 - 2) 100-Foot Wetlands Buffer Zone
 - 3) 100-Foot Adjacent Upland Resource Area
 - 4) 200-Foot Riverfront Area
 - 5) Bordering Land Subject to Flooding

The Commission reviewed the draft Order of Conditions for 869 Massachusetts Avenue and discussed edits to the draft. The Commission agreed to the following special conditions:

- 31. The Commission reserves the right to require an independent environmental monitor to monitor the project and report back to the Commission if it determines one is necessary at any time during the project's construction.
- 33. The Applicant has agreed to work with the Conservation Commission to find a location for the car washing fundraisers to minimize impacts of waste water on the water quality of the Town's water resources.
- 38. At least 21 days prior to construction, a written dust mitigation plan using water as a dust control shall be submitted to the Conservation Commission. This dust mitigation plan shall be implemented through the duration of the project.
- 43. The Applicant is permitted to use the cut-and-dab method for invasive plant management control in the east and west side planting areas. The Applicant shall hire a licensed herbicide applicator with at least 3 years of experience. The Applicant shall only use Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection approved herbicides.
- 44. All plantings planted and invasive species removed through this project shall be monitored for three years. A survival rate of at least 80% must be maintained for the approved plantings at the end of the third monitoring year. If there is less than an 80% survival rate of the plantings after the third year, the Applicant must submit recommendations for replacements to the Conservation Agent for approval. A monitoring report shall be submitted annually in June for the three year monitoring period, reporting on the health of the new plantings and the success of the invasive plant management.
- 45. The Applicant shall notify the Conservation Agent when the invasive removal and planting work along Mill Brook is scheduled so that the Conservation Agent can monitor the work.
- 47. The Applicant shall install a "no mow" sign or demarcation along the 25-ft boundary within the 100-ft wetlands buffer and AURA. The "no mow" areas shall be maintained per the approved design. This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of this permit /Order and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition in perpetuity.
- 50. All mitigation as proposed as part of this project shall remain in perpetuity. The approved planting areas, invasive removal areas, the rain garden, the water

- quality units, and the stormwater system shall remain in perpetuity and if replacement is necessary, shall be subject to the approval of the Commission. This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of this permit /Order and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition in perpetuity.
- 51. The Applicant shall submit an annual affirmation that a contract with a third party contractor for maintenance of the underground storage chambers and approved water quality units is in place. All other structural stormwater BMPs shall be maintained in accordance with the approved Operation and Maintenance plans. It is sufficient to email the Conservation Agent with a statement of affirmation, and the statement must be submitted by December 31 each year. This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of this permit /Order and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition in perpetuity.
- 52. The Applicant shall submit copies of the SWPPP inspection reports to the Conservation Agent within 10 days of the date of each report.
- 53. The Applicant shall submit a snow storage plan to the Commission for review. No snow storage is permitted in the mitigation planting areas or within any resource areas. This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of this permit /Order and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition in perpetuity.
- 54. The Applicant shall include one member of the Conservation Commission in any artificial turf field working group or group that is responsible for the oversight, management, disposal, and/or replacement of the proposed artificial turf fields. This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of this permit /Order and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition in perpetuity.
- 55. When the proposed artificial turf field needs to be replaced, the Applicant shall file a new Notice of Intent to the Conservation Commission. This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of this permit /Order and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition in perpetuity.
- 56. The Applicant is responsible for informing the Conservation Commission of any updated state or federal standards for artificial turf that relate to environmental impact, and water quality monitoring of stormwater or groundwater in a timely manner to the best of their knowledge. This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of this permit /Order and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition in perpetuity.
- 57. The artificial turf specifications shall comply with the following standards, as outlined in Document #32 and subsequent Hearing discussions. A sample of the selected artificial turf shall be tested by an Environmental Laboratory Approval Program (ELAP)-accredited third-party independent laboratory to ensure compliance with the following performance standards. CAM 17 can be used for both turf fibers and infill materials. The referenced New York State Department of Environment and Conservation (NYSDEC) Part 375 is expected to be replaced by a future ASTM Standard Test that will be specific to turf fibers and backing materials. The referenced ASTM Standard Methods are specific to the materials included in their titles. The Massachusetts Department of Environmental

Protection (MassDEP) Massachusetts Contingency Plan (MCP) methods and standards are for soil since MassDEP does not have regulated standards for artificial turf materials. Proof of testing results shall be submitted to the Conservation Commission. This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of this permit /Order and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition in perpetuity.

- I. Metals: CAM 17 (California Administrative Manual, Title 22): law intended to protect drinking water sources from heavy metals, includes testing and threshold requirements for 17 heavy metals of concern. Detected metals results for arsenic, mercury, antimony, barium, beryllium, cadmium, chromium, cobalt, copper, lead, molybdenum, nickel, selenium, silver, thallium, vanadium, and zinc shall not exceed the CAM 17 Soluble Threshold Limit Concentration (STLC) for each individual metal.
- II. Lead: The ASTM 2765 Standard Specification for Total Lead Content in Synthetic Turf Fibers: standard for testing fibers to comply with the Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act of 2008 for lead content. The current threshold is 100 mg/Kg total lead which complies to children's toy levels. Detected results for total lead in turf fibers and turf infill shall not exceed 100 mg/Kg.
- III. Metals: The ASTM 3188 Standard Specification for Extractable Hazardous Metals in Synthetic Turf Infill Materials: standard for testing fibers to comply with the Consumer Product Safety Toy Standard for heavy metals content. This method addresses health related exposures for Antimony, Arsenic, Barium, Cadmium, Chromium, Lead, Mercury, Selenium. Detected results in turf fiber and turf infill samples shall not exceed the ASTM 3188 standards for each individual metal.
- Per and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS): EPA Method 537.1 Liquid Chromatography Tandem Mass Spectrometry (LC/MS/MS) modified using Isotope Dilution technique for 18 PFAS compounds as listed in the PFAS testing table of Document #32 plus EPA Method 533 LC/MS/MS modified using Isotope Dilution for two additional PFAS compounds for a total of 20 compounds tested. NYSDEC standard for testing solids for PFAS will be used as reporting limit criteria, as follows. Sample-specific Reporting Limits shall be less than or equal to 1.0 µg/kg (NYSDEC Memorandum, March 2019, for testing of PFAS under Part 375). Detected results for 6 PFAS compounds (perfluorodecanoic acid, perfluoroheptanoic acid, perfluorohexanesulfonic acid, perfluorononanoic acid, perfluorooctanesulfonic acid, and perfluorooctanoic acid), which represent the MassDEP regulated compounds and a subset of the 20 compounds tested, shall not exceed the MassDEP MCP Method 1 Standards for S1/GW1 in both the turf fibers and the turf infill.
- V. Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs): Detected results for VOCs in both the turf fibers and the turf infill shall not exceed the MassDEP

MCP Method 1 Standards for S1/GW1 using EPA Method 8260B or 8260C Gas Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry (GC/MS) and methanol preservation (EPA Method 5035A) for MCP-regulated VOCs. Required reporting limits for non-detected compounds must be less than or equal to one half of the Method 1 Standard in µg /Kg dry weight. The MCP document "Quality Control Requirements and Performance Standards for the Analysis of Volatile Organic Compounds by Gas Chromatography/Mass Spectrometry (GC/MS) in Support of Response Actions under the Massachusetts Contingency Plan (MCP)," WSC-CAM-IIA, July 2010 shall be used as guidance for acceptable analysis of VOCs in the artificial turf materials and for the required VOC analyte list (Table II A-2 of WSC-CAM-IIA).

- VI. Semi Volatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs): Detected results for SVOCs in both the turf fibers and the turf infill shall not exceed the lower of the MassDEP MCP Method 1 Standards for S1/GW1 using EPA Method 8270D Gas Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry (GC/MS) for MCP-regulated SVOCs or the anticipated ASTM Standard 65799 for Polyaromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs), which are a subset of the MCP-regulated SVOCs. The ASTM Standard was not yet released as of the date of this Order of Conditions. The fulllist of MCP-regulated SVOCs must be tested in the artificial turf material. Required reporting limits for non-detected compounds must be less than or equal to one half of the Method 1 Standard in μg/Kg dry weight or as specified in the ASTM Standard for PAH compounds. The MCP document "Quality Control Requirements and Performance Standards for the Analysis of Semivolatile Organic Compounds by Gas Chromatography/Mass Spectrometry (GC/MS) in Support of Response Actions under the Massachusetts Contingency Plan (MCP)," WSC-CAM-IIB, July 2010 shall be used as guidance for acceptable analysis of SVOCs in the artificial turf materials and for the required SVOC analyte list (Table II B-2 of WSC-CAM-IIB).
- 58. Prior to construction, the Applicant shall submit the specifications for the artificial turf infill and blade material to the Conservation Commission.
- S. Chapnick stated that the east side planting plan was sufficient but that the west side planting plan was insufficient. S. Chapnick also stated that she did not accept the alternatives analysis. S. Chapnick stated that the alternatives analysis lacks the option of an organically managed natural turf field over the same stormwater infiltration system proposed for the artificial turf field to allow for improved drainage and stormwater management than existing turf field and that having an organic turf field reduces the need for extensive nutrients and chemicals to be used for maintenance and that a natural turf field provides some habitat value and allows for a wildlife corridor to connect resource areas. S. Chapnick also stated that the primary driver of the artificial turf field was the increased playing time; however, there was no evaluation of how increased

temperatures due to Climate Change would impact the anticipated increase in playing time due to likely loss of playing time when fields are too hot to safely play on. S. Chapnick estimated that within the life-cycle of the artificial field, the loss of play time due to excessive heat would likely be the entire month of June.

- S. Chapnick noted that though only a portion of the proposed artificial turf field is within the resource area, this is considered a "structure." As such, S. Chapnick considers that the impact of the entire structure on the resource area is relevant, similar to how the Commission evaluates stormwater impacts to resource areas based on Section 2.B.2 of the Arlington Wetland Protection regulations.
- S. Chapnick concluded that the adverse effects of the artificial turf field on resource area, resource area functions, and Climate Change resilience were unacceptable and too severe to mitigate effectively. S. Chapnick listed the following adverse effects: 1) the artificial turf field does not support any wildlife habitat functions or provide for a wildlife corridor thereby causing loss of connectivity of habitats; 2) Carbon dioxide released during the manufacture of the artificial turf field creates adverse climate impacts rather than mitigating climate impacts; 3) loss of Carbon sequestration, which is available in a natural turf field, as a climate change resilience strategy; 4) potential for contamination of resource area by plastic or crumb rubber infill migration; 5) artificial turf field exacerbate heat stress in already stressed resource area and heat island effects from artificial turf fields are supported by the temperature data presented by the Applicant; 6) there is potential for leachability of toxic chemicals from infill material into stormwater units and eventually into Mill Brook; 7) sustainability issues in that the artificial turf field requires replacement every 8 to 10 years which will further impact the resource area another 5 or 6 times over the life-cycle of the Arlington High School project; and 8) the cumulative effect of 3 artificial turf fields (one existing, one proposed in this application, and one to be installed outside of jurisdictional areas) and parking lots covering most of the area adjacent to the resource will increase the stress on the resource area.
- N. Stevens motioned to approve the project for 869 Mass Avenue under the Wetlands Protection Act and Arlington Bylaw for Wetlands Protection with the special conditions discussed by the Commission, P. Heidell seconded, D. White voted to approve, D. Kaplan voted to approve, C. Tirone voted to approve, S. Chapnick voted to deny, motion approved.

Request for Certificate of Compliance: 14 Lake Shore Drive MassDEP File #091-0252

Documents Reviewed:

- 1) Proposed Conservation Plan for 14 Lake Shore Drive, prepared by Rober Survey, stamped by Clifford E Rober PLS #33189, dated 06/02/2014.
- Proposed Landscape Plan for 14 Lake Shore Drive, prepared by Rober Survey, dated 06/02/2014.
- 3) Order of Conditions, dated 08/08/2014.

- 4) Request for Certificate of Compliance Letter and Form, prepared by Rober Survey, stamped by Clifford E Rober PLS #33189, dated 10/28/2019.
- 5) Certificate of Compliance As-Built Plan, prepared by Rober Survey, dated 8/05/2019.

Resource Areas:

- 1) FEMA Floodplain
- 2) 100-ft Wetlands Buffer
- T. Stremlau presented the Request for Certificate of Compliance. The project as approved proposed to raze and rebuild an existing cabana and add resource area improvements through native plantings in the 100-ft wetlands buffer and floodplain of the Lower Mystic Lake. The project was approved on 08/08/2014. T. Stremlau explained that the as-built plan shows the movable dock in a different location than permitted because it is under repair and that it will be relocated to the approved location once repaired.
- P. Heidell asked how the enclosed deck impacts compensatory flood storage. T. Braveman stated that it has no impact because it was installed with gaps to ensure flow of potential floodwaters.
- E. Sullivan summarized her 07/14/2020 site inspection and recommended that the Commission issue a Certificate of Compliance. N. Stevens motioned to issue the complete Certificate of Compliance, D. White seconded, all were in favor, motion approved.

Request for Certificate of Compliance: 18 Nourse Street MassDEP File #091-0281

Documents Reviewed:

- 1) Notice of Intent for 18 Nourse Street, prepared by Oxbow Associates, dated 09/21/2016.
- Proposed Structure Plan of Land for 18 Nourse Street, prepared by PFS Land Surveying Inc, stamped by Bryan G Parmenter PLS #48193, dated 08/23/2016.
- 3) Order of Conditions, dated 03/09/2017.
- 4) Request for Certificate of Compliance Letter and Form, prepared by Nelson Group Construction, dated 06/30/2020.
- 5) Certificate of Compliance As-Built Plan for 18-20 Nourse Street, prepared by Columbia Design Group, LLC, dated 05/09/2018.

Resource Areas:

- 1) 100-ft Wetlands Buffer
- 2) Adjacent Upland Resource Area
- J. Do presented the Request for Certificate of Compliance. The project as approved proposed to raze an existing single family home and replace it with a two-family home in

the 100-ft wetlands buffer and AURA of No Name Brook. The project was approved on 03/09/2017.

The Commission requested documentation for the following conditions, which was not included in the Request for Certificate of Compliance:

- 40. Underground Infiltration Systems As soon as each underground infiltration system is put into use, it shall be monitored during and after at least three major storms (more than 2 inches in 24 hours) during the first two years of operation to assure that all water infiltrates the ground completely within 72 hours after each storm. Results shall be reported to the Conservation Commission. After the initial monitoring period, each system shall be monitored in the same way at least twice annually during and after storms. Accumulated sediments shall be removed and disposed of in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws. This shall be a continuing condition maintained in perpetuity and shall not expire with the issuance of the Certificate of Compliance.
- 42. At least 21 days prior to occupancy of the first building, the Applicant shall submit a final, revised Operation and Maintenance Plan for Commission review and approval. The approved plan shall include all stormwater management system components. The instructions in the approved Operation and Maintenance Plan must be followed in perpetuity and shall not expire with the issuance of the Certificate of Compliance, This shall be a continuing condition.
- 43. When requesting a Certificate of Compliance for this Order of Conditions, the applicant must submit a written statement from a Massachusetts professional engineer, registered land surveyor, or registered landscape architect certifying that the completed work complies with the plans referenced in this Order, and provide an as-built plan and statement describing any differences.
- D. White motioned to continue the hearing to the 08/06/2020 meeting so that the Applicant could submit the materials for conditions #40, 42, and 43, N. Stevens seconded, all were in favor, motion approved.

Request for Certificate of Compliance: 46 Spy Pond Parkway MassDEP File #091-0300

The Applicant requested to continue the hearing. P. Heidell motioned to continue the hearing to the 08/06/2020 meeting, N. Stevens seconded, all were in favor, motion approved.

Working Session: 1165R Massachusetts 40B Proposal

S. Chapnick introduced the project and explained that this was a "Working Session" and not a "hearing." D. St. Clair presented the project proposal to the Commission. This proposal is a "friendly" 40B housing redevelopment proposal that proposes to build a 130-unit multi-family residential rental project, which will include 25 affordable units. The project proposes to reuse two existing historical buildings and build two new buildings

Comment [SC1]: I deleted "friendly" because I am not in favor of using such subjective adjectives in the summary of the proposed project.

with garage parking. The project also proposes to increase open green space along Mill Brook and reduce the amount of impervious parking lot onsite.

The Property is currently largely impervious with hardscape (existing: 67.9%) and building (existing: 25.7%). There is very limited open pervious and vegetated space (existing: 6.4%). The proposed development proposes to reduce the impervious hardscape (proposed: 34.1%), increase the impervious building (proposed: 43.4%), and overall increase the open pervious and vegetated space (proposed: 22.5%). The pervious open space is proposed to include native vegetation enhancements.

The Applicant stated that they were unsure whether Resource Area and thus whether the Riverfront Area Standards applied to Ryder Brook to this portion of the site. The Applicant also stated that they were unsure whether the site was eligible for the Historical Mill Complex exemption from the Riverfront Area requirements-regulations of the State-Wetlands-Protection-ActRegulations (310 CMR, Section 10.58 (6) (k)). The Commission recommended filing separate Requests for Determination of Applicability to determine the jurisdiction of Ryder Brook and whether the site qualifies for the Historical Mill Complex exemption.

- P. Heidell requested that as much vegetated buffer along Mill Brook is planted as practicable.
- M. Gildesgame asked if porous materials are being proposed for the pathways, and if they will be ADA compliant. The Applicant stated that the pathway materials have not been selected yet. S. Chapnick recommended that the Applicant look at the porous pathway materials installed at Wellington Park and Spy Pond Park.
- D. Kaplan asked whether green roofs or solar panels would be proposed as part of this project. The Applicant stated that the project is assessing the feasibility of solar panels on most if not all the buildings. D. Kaplan also recommended that the Applicant consider bringing the green spaces closer to Mill Brook (rather than the pedestrian walkway) and consider bump-outs over the Brook for pedestrian access.
- N. Stevens asked the Commission if it was going to submit a comment letter to the Select Board regarding the MassHousing application submitted for this project. The public comment period is scheduled to end 08/07/2020, so if the Commission would like to submit a letter it <u>can-should</u> request a one week extension. E. Sullivan will draft a letter for the Commission to review at its 08/06/2020 meeting and request the one week extension.
- C. Tirone asked if the project would include correcting any wall issues along the Mill Brook channel.
- N. Stevens asked whether this project <u>would_could_meet the redevelopment standards in the Riverfront Area regulations.</u> <u>Wetlands Protection Act's redevelopment standards.</u>
- D. Wells stated that the project ?probably? would meet the redevelopment standards.

- N. Stevens stated that it may be better to submit the project application under the redevelopment standards rather than with the Historical Mill Complex exemption.
- D. White motioned to close the Commission meeting, N. Stevens seconded, all were in favor, motioned approved.

Meeting adjourned at 10:20pm.





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Arlington Conservation Commission

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Minutes

Attendance: Commission Members Susan Chapnick (Chair), Pam Heidell, Nathaniel Stevens, Chuck Tirone (Vice Chair), and David White; Associate Commissioners Cathy Garnett and Mike Gildesgame; and Conservation Agent Emily Sullivan. Members of the public included Henri Schuette. Commissioner Member Dave Kaplan was absent.

07/09/2020 Meeting Minutes

The Commission discussed edits to the draft 07/09/2020 minutes. D. White motioned to approve the minutes as edited, P. Heidell seconded, all were in favor, motion approved.

07/16/2020 Meeting Minutes

The Commission discussed edits to the draft 07/16/2020 minutes. D. White motioned to approve the minutes as edited, C. Tirone seconded, all were in favor, motion approved.

Working Session: Eagle Scout Project at Mt. Gilboa

- H. Schuette, Eagle Scout, presented a project proposal to restore two sections of trail in Mt. Gilboa that have eroded due to human use and washout (Site A and Site B on proposed project plans). H. Schuette proposed restoring the trail sections with native plantings, check dams, and water bars.
- H. Schuette initially presented this project proposal to the Commission during its 06/04/2020 meeting. The Commission requested a more detailed project proposal with cost estimate and request for funds, which H. Schuette presented.
- H. Schuette explained the COVID-19 safety precautions for the project, including social distancing, wearing masks, performing all work outside, and limiting the number of Scouts working together on tasks.
- H. Schuette requested \$195.00 from the Commission to purchase supplies for this project.
- D. White asked if erosion was an issue for Site A. H. Schuette said stormwater erosion is not an issue, but human use is an issue.

- P. Heidell asked if a professional engineer reviewed the proposed plans. H. Schuette said that a professional engineer had not, but the property manager at Audubon Habitat provided guidance, who has trail restoration experience.
- C. Garnett stated that conservation organizations like the Appalachian Mountain Club install stepping stones in trail sections similar to the two in Mt. Gilboa. C. Garnett asked if stepping stones were practical in Mt. Gilboa. H. Schuette stated that the stepping stones were not necessary and that they were beyond the capabilities of the Scouts.
- S. Chapnick asked whether Site A would be seeded as part of this project. H. Schuette stated that Site A is shady and that the Scouts would not be able to maintain seeded areas in the long term. H. Schuette recommended that the area revegetate naturally.
- D. White motioned to approve the project and allocate up to \$200.00 from the Land Stewards the Conservation Stewardship Fund managed by the Arlington Land Trustfund, N. Stevens seconded, all were in favor, motion approved.
- H. Schuette will work with E. Sullivan to submit a reimbursement request at the end of the project.

Administrative Updates

Internal Deadline for Commissioners to Send Reference Materials

The Commission discussed what a reasonable deadline is for a Commissioner to submit additional reference materials pertaining to hearings to the rest of the Commission prior to the hearing date. The Commission agreed that such reference materials should be sent to E. Sullivan by 5pm on the Monday prior to the hearing. Materials should be sent without expressing an opinion to ensure that the Commission remains in compliance with the Open Meeting Law. This deadline is a "best practice," and there will be circumstances during which this deadline is not practicable. This deadline does not apply to Commissioners sending questions to E. Sullivan regarding an application. C. Tirone stated that most statements regarding a hearing should be made during the hearing and not through email prior to the hearing.

Request for Certificate of Compliance Internal Checklist

S. Chapnick presented an internal checklist for E. Sullivan to populate for Requests for Certificate of Compliance. C. Tirone cautioned against formatting the checklist in a way that would allow the Conservation Agent to make judgements that should be made solely by the Commission. A draft checklist was discussed as a "working document" that E. Sullivan will use going forward to document Certificate of Compliance reviews.

11 Norton Street, Lexington NOI MassDEP #unassigned

D. White presented a <u>proposalplan</u> to remove a paved driveway and gravel area <u>from</u> within <u>the boundaries of</u> Arlington's Great Meadows (AGM) and restore it with native vegetation. This proposal is part of a Notice of Intent submitted to the Lexington Conservation Commission for 11 Norton Street, <u>Lexington</u>. The Lexington Conservation Commission requested that the Applicant reach out to the Arlington Conservation

Commission with this proposal and ask for feedback since the property is owned by the Town of Arlington. The Commission supported the removal of pavement/gravel and restoration of the area. The Commission made the following recommendations:

- Remove the gravel/pavement from AGM and restore the area with native seed mix/plantings
- Block off the restored area with boulders to allow pedestrian access but to block vehicles
- Install a fence along the property boundary with AGM
- Provide a plan that better identifies the restoration area and the proposed plantings there
- Provide a final copy of the plan to the Commission
- Record the plan with the Registry of Deeds
- N. Stevens motioned to make the aforementioned recommendations to the Applicant for 11 Norton Street Lexington, D. White seconded, all were in favor, motion approved.
- D. White volunteered to follow-up with the Applicant regarding the recommendations.

Thorndike Place 40B Application

E. Sullivan informed the Commission that the Zoning Board of Appeal's (ZBA) third-party reviewer, BETA Group, submitted a comment letter to the ZBA regarding the permit application materials. N. Stevens emailed the letter to the Commission. The ZBA has scheduled the application hearing for 08/11/2020.

1165R Massachusetts Ave MassHousing Application

The <u>deadline for submitting comments was extended to September 7, 2020. The</u> Commission discussed edits to the draft comment letter to the Select Board regarding the 1165R Mass Ave MassHousing Application. N. Stevens motioned to approve the letter as edited, P. Heidel seconded, all were in favor, motion approved.

Water Bodies Working Group

S. Chapnick announced that she is stepping down from the Water Bodies Working Group and invited other interested Commissioners to join. E. Sullivan stated that she spoke to D. Kaplan about getting involved in the Working Group and would follow up with him.

Native Cultivators

C. Garnett updated the Commission on appropriate language regarding native cultivators, which can be incorporated into the Regulations for Wetlands Protection update. C. Garnett volunteered to write up a native cultivator summary for the Commission.

Request for Certificate of Compliance: 46 Spy Pond Parkway MassDEP File #091-0300

The Applicant requested to continue the hearing. N. Stevens motioned to continue the hearing to the 08/20/2020 meeting, D. White seconded, all were in favor, motion approved.

Request for Certificate of Compliance: 18 Nourse Street MassDEP File #091-0281

The Applicant requested to continue the hearing. N. Stevens motioned to continue the hearing to the 08/20/2020 meeting, D. White seconded, all were in favor, motion approved.

Regulatory Update: Stormwater Management Section

The Commission reviewed and discussed Section 33: Stormwater Management for the Arlington Regulations for Wetlands Protection. The Commission also reviewed the proposed updates for the Stormwater Mitigation Bylaw, proposed by the Engineering Division, so that the two updates can be consistent. E. Sullivan will create a summary document of the proposed technical changes for the Commission to review, which can inform the update of Section 33. <u>Discussion of this regulatory update will continue to the Commission's 08/20/2020 meeting.</u>

D. White motioned to close the Commission meeting, N. Stevens seconded, all were in favor, motioned approved.

Meeting adjourned at 9:50pm.



Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

Spy Pond English Ivy

Summary:

Discuss English Ivy infestation along the Spy Pond Route 2 pathway

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ם	Reference Material	Steve_Ricci_Ivy_Email_08062020.pdf	S Ricci Email 08062020

From: Brad Barber
 bradb@shore.net>

To: "Emily Sullivan" <ESullivan@town.arlington.ma.us>

Cc: Steve ricci <sjricci@aol.com>, Bill Eykamp <bill@eykamp.org>

Date: 08/06/2020 07:47 PM **Subject:** English Ivy on Rt. 2 path

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ivy-Rt-2 200713b -- between the steps and Pleasant St., MassDOT property

ivy-Rt-2 200713c -- near the sandbar looking up the hill, private property

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https://content.ces.ncsu.edu/controlling-english-ivy-in-urban-landscapes

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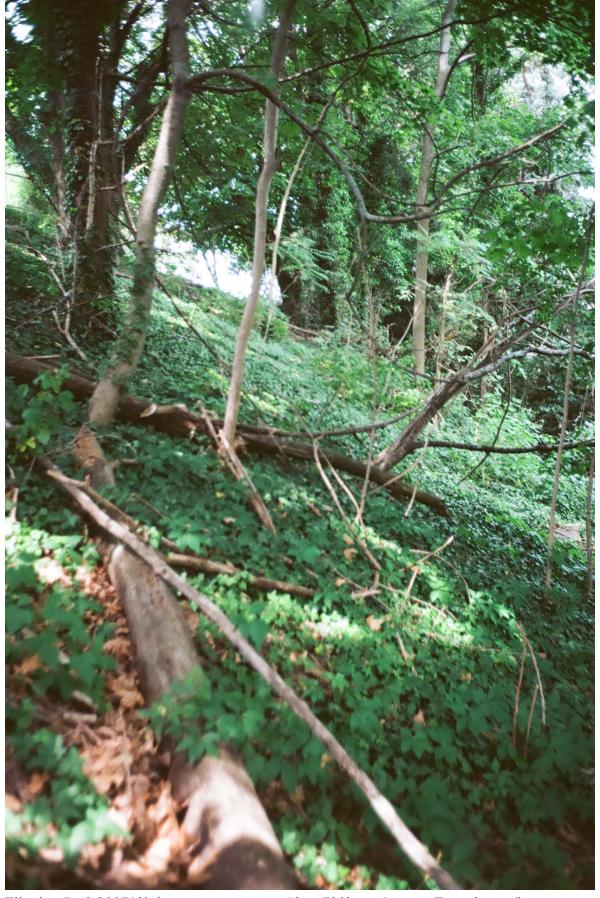
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--Brad

Attachments:



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From: "S.J. RICCI" <sjricci@aol.com> **To:** Brad Barber <bradb@shore.net>

Cc: Emily Sullivan <ESullivan@town.arlington.ma.us>, Bill Eykamp <bill@eykamp.org>

Date: 08/06/2020 09:53 PM

Subject: Re: English Ivy on Rt. 2 path

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Hi Brad, I've been walking the Rte 2 path most days this summer. I think the bittersweet is now our major issue. I, too, concluded that our manual efforts don't let us keep up nevermind gain on it.

Maybe there are some power tools like a mini Bobcat with an hydraulic arm that might be useful by the flat along the path but I suspect it will take chemicals to address those vines growing on steep banks.

Steve

Sent from my iPad

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Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

Chair/Vice Chair Draft Roles

Summary:

Review the roles and responsibilities of the Commission Chair and Vice Chair

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Chair/Vice Chair Draft Roles

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Arlington Conservation Commission

Chair & Vice-Chair Roles / Responsibilities

Primary Roles:

The Chair's primary role is to ensure the proceedings of the ACC are in compliance with the MassDEP Wetlands Protection Act (WPA) and Town Bylaw / Town Wetland Regulations, as well as to supervise the Conservation Agent.

The Vice-Chair's primary role is to support the Chair in the administration of ACC meetings and proceedings and to serve in the Chair's absence when needed as directed by the Chair.

Function / Role	Chair	Vice-Chair
General Administration		
Direct Supervision of Conservation Agent	Х	
Ensure ACC proceedings in compliance with WPA, Town Bylaw, and Open	Х	
Meeting Law		
Lead process improvements with Agent	X	
Responsible for oversite and accountability of funds (annual budget/w Agent)	Х	
Call for Special Meetings	Х	
Form sub/ ad hoc committees, assign tasks and duties, appoint members	Х	
Identify training / educational opportunities for Commissioners with Agent	Х	
ACC Meetings		
Finalize ACC Meeting Agenda with Agent	Х	Support*
Primary responsibility for chairing / running ACC Meetings	Χ	Support*
Chair and Vice Chair preside over permit hearings, as delegated by Chair	Х	Х
Co-Host virtual Zoom meetings	Х	X
Monitor virtual meetings: admit late attendees; monitor waiting room; move		Х
disruptive participants to waiting room; lock down meeting if needed		
Call for Commissioners to make Motions & Vote on Agenda Items / Hearings	Χ	Support*
Meeting Minutes – review drafts	Χ	Χ
Site Visits		
Most site visits will be conducted by the ACC Agent; complex sites and site	Х	Χ
violations should have representation from the Chair and/or Vice-Chair		
(as well as other Commissioners)		
Site visit notes – prepare and/or review drafts	Х	Support*
ACC Wetland Regulations		
Lead ACC for Town Wetland Regulations Revisions	Х	Support*
Public Outreach		
Lead Public presentations outreach with ACC Agent to advance Wetland	Х	Support*
Protection (MACC; other meetings – all Commissioners may participate)		
Assist ACC Agent with Educational materials	X	X
Represent the Commission at public meetings before Town Boards, or as	X	Support*
delegated by Chair		

^{*}Supporting role and take lead when Chair is unavailable, at direction of Chair



Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

DPW Renovation Working Session

Summary:

DPW Renovation Working Session

This project proposes a new/renovated Municipal Facility to support the DPW, ISD, Facilities, and IT departments at 51 Grove Street. The proposed site includes the current 4.4-acre parcel, used by DPW / ISD, and an adjacent 1.4-acre portion of Town-owned land for a total of 5.8 acres. Sections of the site are within the 100-ft Wetlands Buffer, AURA, and 200-ft Riverfront Area of Mill Brook, as well as floodway and floodplain.

The work includes demolition of the existing ancillary salt/sand storage structures and fueling system, renovation of the four existing structures (Buildings A, B, C, and D), construction of a new 2-story 43,000 square-foot operations building, construction of a new salt storage structure, construction of a new state-of-the-art fueling system, and overall site improvements.

Overall, the new facility includes numerous significant improvements to both the site and operations, including:

- improved stormwater and runoff management
- improved storage of vehicles, equipment and materials (indoor vs. outdoor)
- improved storage and handling of liquid petroleum products
- improved vehicle washing operations

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Reference Material	Arlington_Municipal_Facility_Letter_08-06-20.pdf	DPW Renovation Project Summary



55 Walkers Brook Drive, Suite 100, Reading, MA 01867 Tel: 978.532.1900

Arlington – DPW / ISD / Facilities / IT Municipal Facility

August 06, 2020

Emily Sullivan Environmental Planner & Conservation Agent Town of Arlington 730 Massachusetts Avenue Arlington, MA 02476

Re: Request for a Working Session

New/Renovated DPW / ISD / Facilities / IT Municipal Facility

Arlington, Massachusetts

Dear Ms. Sullivan:

On behalf of the Arlington Department of Public Works, Weston & Sampson Engineers, Inc. (W&S) is hereby submitting a request to schedule a working session with the Arlington Conservation Commission to discuss the proposed new / renovated municipal facility at 51 Grove Street to support the Department of Public Works (DPW), Inspection Services Department (ISD), Facilities Department, and Information Technology Department (IT). The proposed site is the current home of the Department of Public Works and Inspectional Services Department.

Background

The Town of Arlington is proposing a new/renovated Municipal Facility to support the DPW, ISD, Facilities, and IT departments at 51 Grove Street. The DPW and ISD currently occupy the existing site. The proposed site includes the current 4.4-acre parcel, used by DPW / ISD, and an adjacent 1.4-acre portion of Town-owned land for a total of 5.8 acres. The new/renovated facility is necessary due to deteriorating conditions at the current facilities which have been in use for many years and are in need of upgrade to meet today's operational and safety needs.

The Public Works Department offices and equipment maintenance operations, along with the Inspectional Services Department, will be relocated to a new two-story building constructed on site. Of the four existing structures on site (see below), two of the structures will be repurposed to house the Town's IT Department and Facilities Department. The remaining two existing site structures will be renovated to now house a large portion of the DPW vehicles and equipment currently stored outside. The renovations will provide minimally heated space to store vehicles and equipment indoors. This improved indoor storage will extend the life of the equipment, reduce environmental impacts, and create more efficient and cost-effective operations.

The new facility will be an overall improvement to the Town environmentally, aesthetically, operationally, and it will protect the Town's multimillion-dollar investment in its vehicles and equipment, while also providing a new home for two additional essential Town Departments.

Site Description

The site is currently developed with four (4) primary structures (Building A, B, C, and D as shown on attached C201), two (2) ancillary support structures (salt/sand structures), and a town-wide fueling system. The site also contains numerous smaller support buildings/sheds/storage containers located throughout the site. The site is bisected by Mill Brook. The brook is primarily located below grade in a culvert with several openings to the site along the culvert. The attached plans outline the resource areas accordingly. The entire site, with the exception of a small area near Grove Street, is covered with an impermeable layer (pavement and/or concrete). Due to historic contamination on the site, this paved surface is a requirement of the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection as a means of capping the historic contamination and therefore must remain.

<u>Description of Work Proposed</u>

The work includes demolition of the existing ancillary salt/sand storage structures and fueling system, renovation of the four existing structures (Buildings A, B, C, and D), construction of a new 2-story 43,000 square-foot operations building, construction of a new salt storage structure, construction of a new state-of-the-art fueling system, and overall site improvements. The site improvements will include, but are not limited to, earthwork, grading, a new stormwater management system, paving for circulation/parking, utilities, curbing, town recycling amenities, DPW material storage bins, and site lighting.

The new/renovated facilities will be for Town use. The facilities will include seven (7) main operational components:

- 1) Administration offices and employee support spaces;
- 2) Vehicle and equipment storage garage;
- 3) Shop spaces;
- 4) Vehicle & Equipment maintenance area;
- 5) Vehicle wash bay;
- 6) Salt shed; and
- 7) Fueling facility.

It should be noted that any storage of liquid petroleum products incidental to the use of the building will be in free standing containers located inside the structure on a poured cement concrete floor and portions of the building will include concrete secondary containment sumps. Also, the fueling facility will be comprised of two (2) 10,000-gallon underground double-walled / leak detected tanks to store and dispense diesel fuel and gasoline. The fueling area will consist of a concrete island / pad which will include a secondary containment positive limiting barrier around the perimeter of the concrete pad.

In addition, the vehicle wash bay will be fully enclosed, and all wash liquids will drain through a trench drain, deep sump, and a grit separation tank with overflow to the sewer system. It should be noted that there will be no discharge from the wash bay to the stormwater system.

Finally, the facility will include a diesel standby generator to power the facility and operation during an outage. The generator will have an integrated diesel storage tank with double-wall containment.

Overall, the new facility includes numerous significant improvements to both the site and operations, including:

- improved stormwater and runoff management
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We look forward to meeting with the Conservation Commission to discuss this important project.

Very truly yours,

WESTON & SAMPSON

Jeffrey J. Alberti, LEED-AP

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Vice President

cc: Mike Rademacher, Town of Arlington

Joshua Sydney, OPM

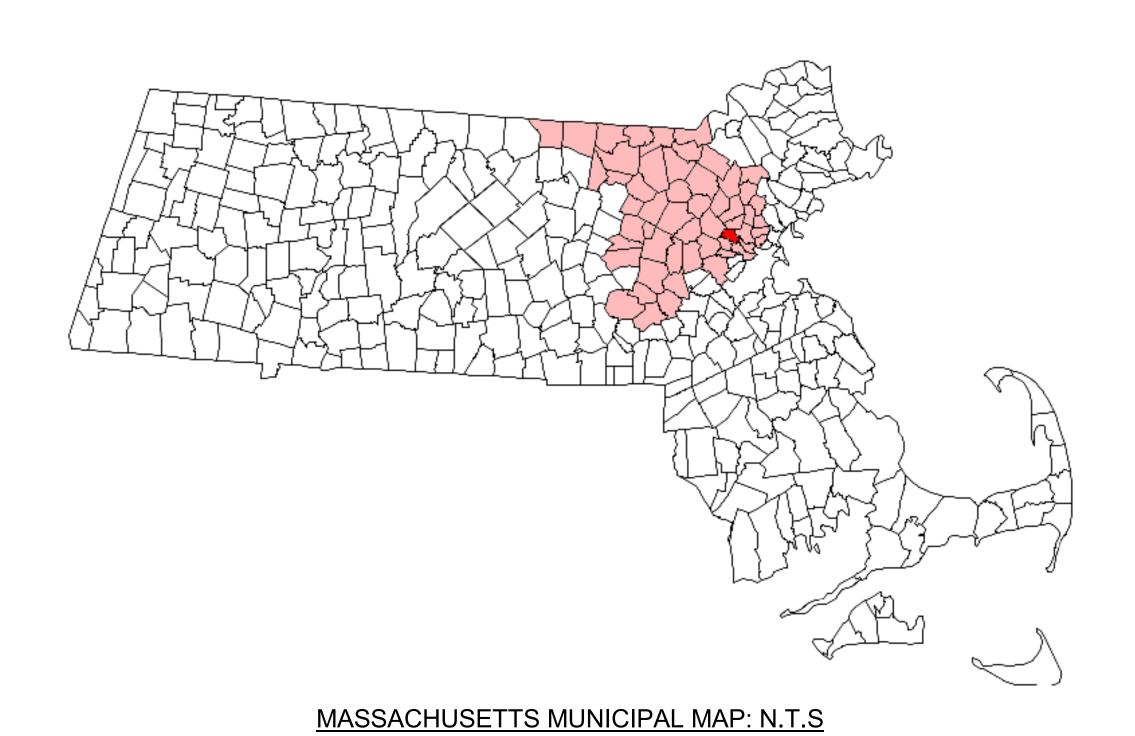
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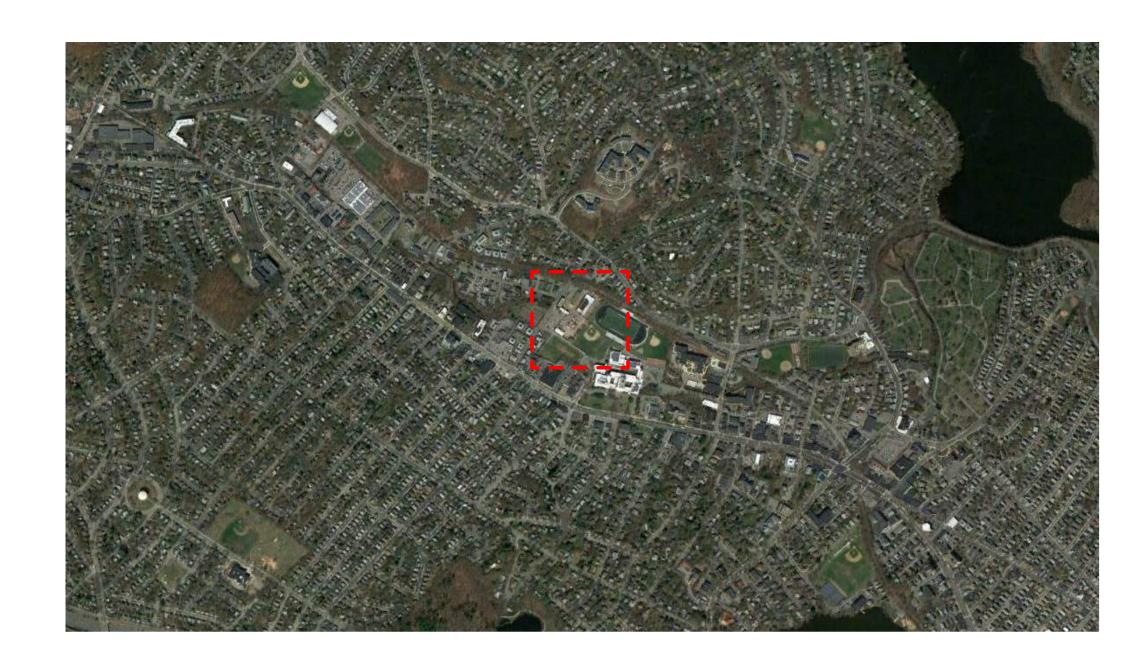
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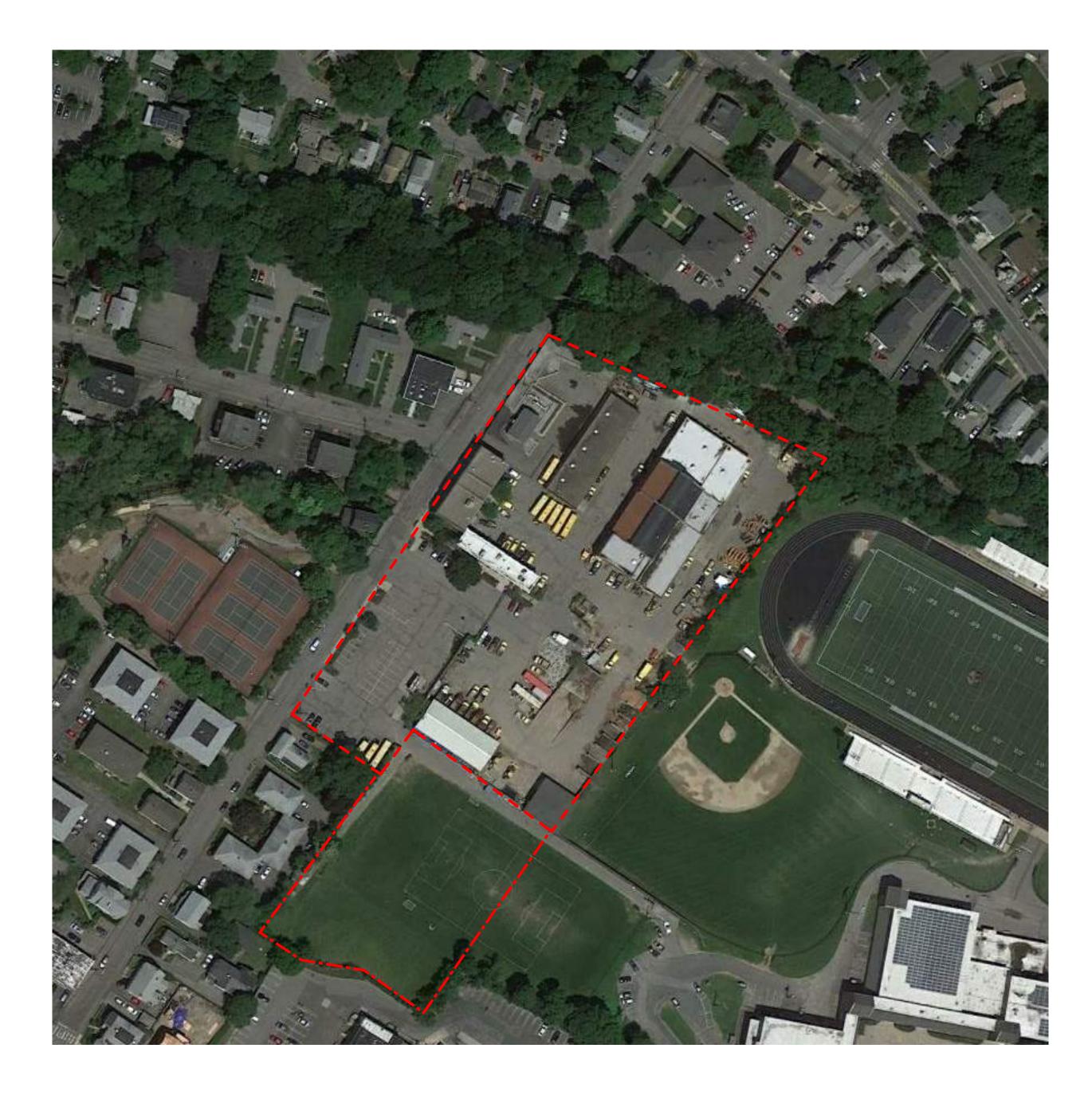
PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY RENOVATIONS & ADDITION

51 GROVE STREET ARLINGTON, MA 02476





SITE LOCUS MAP: N.T.S.



SITE OVERVIEW: N.T.S.

August 06, 2020





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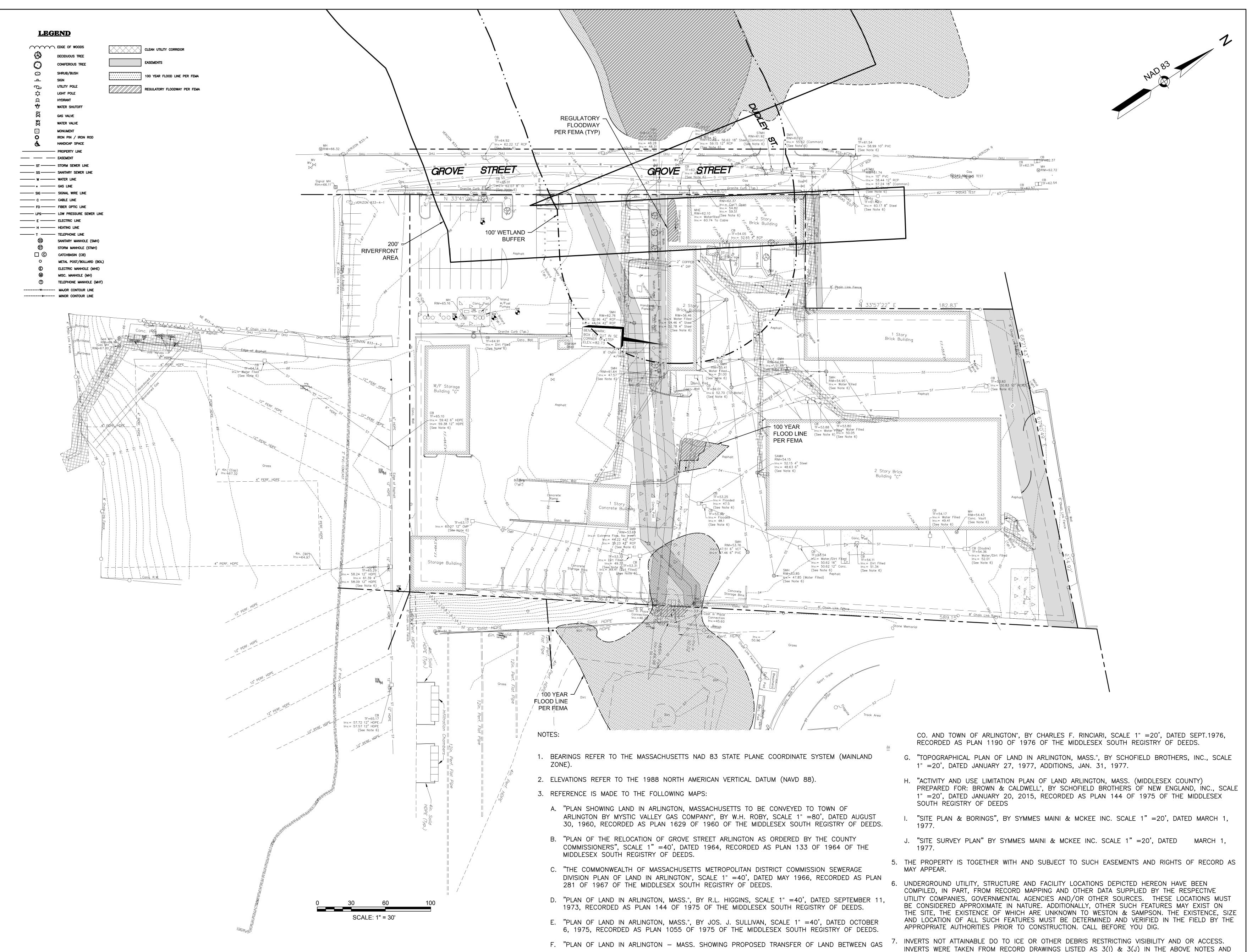
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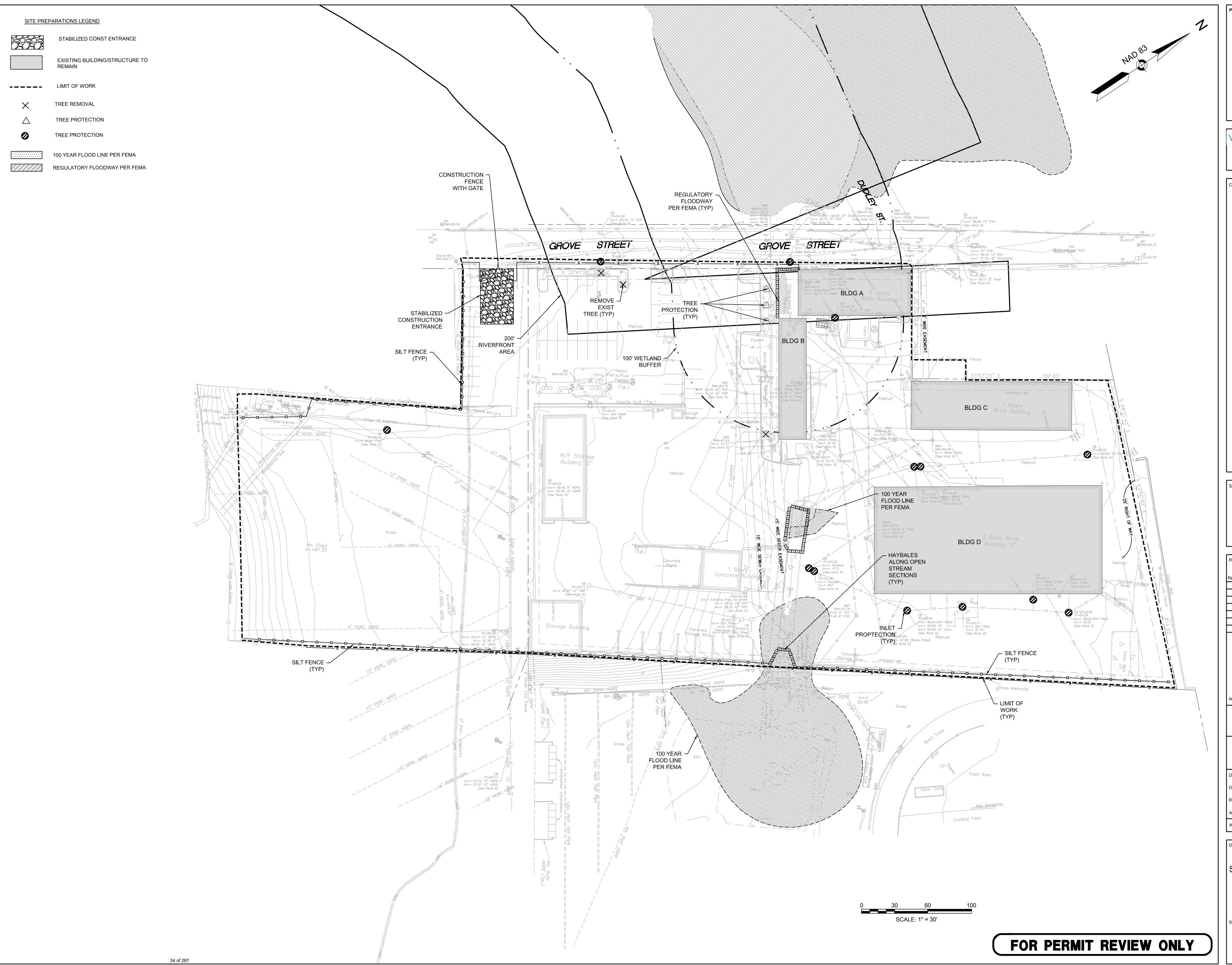
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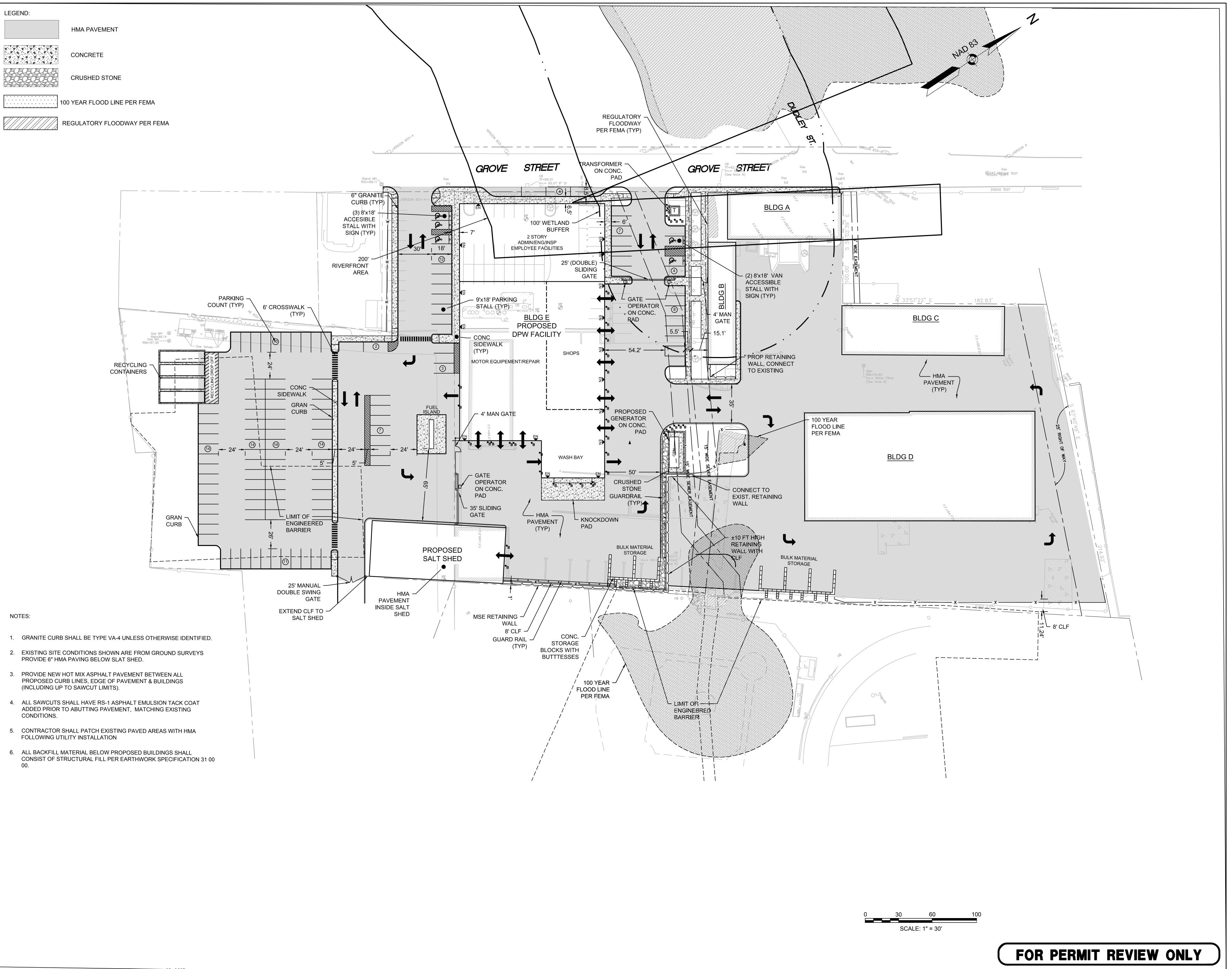
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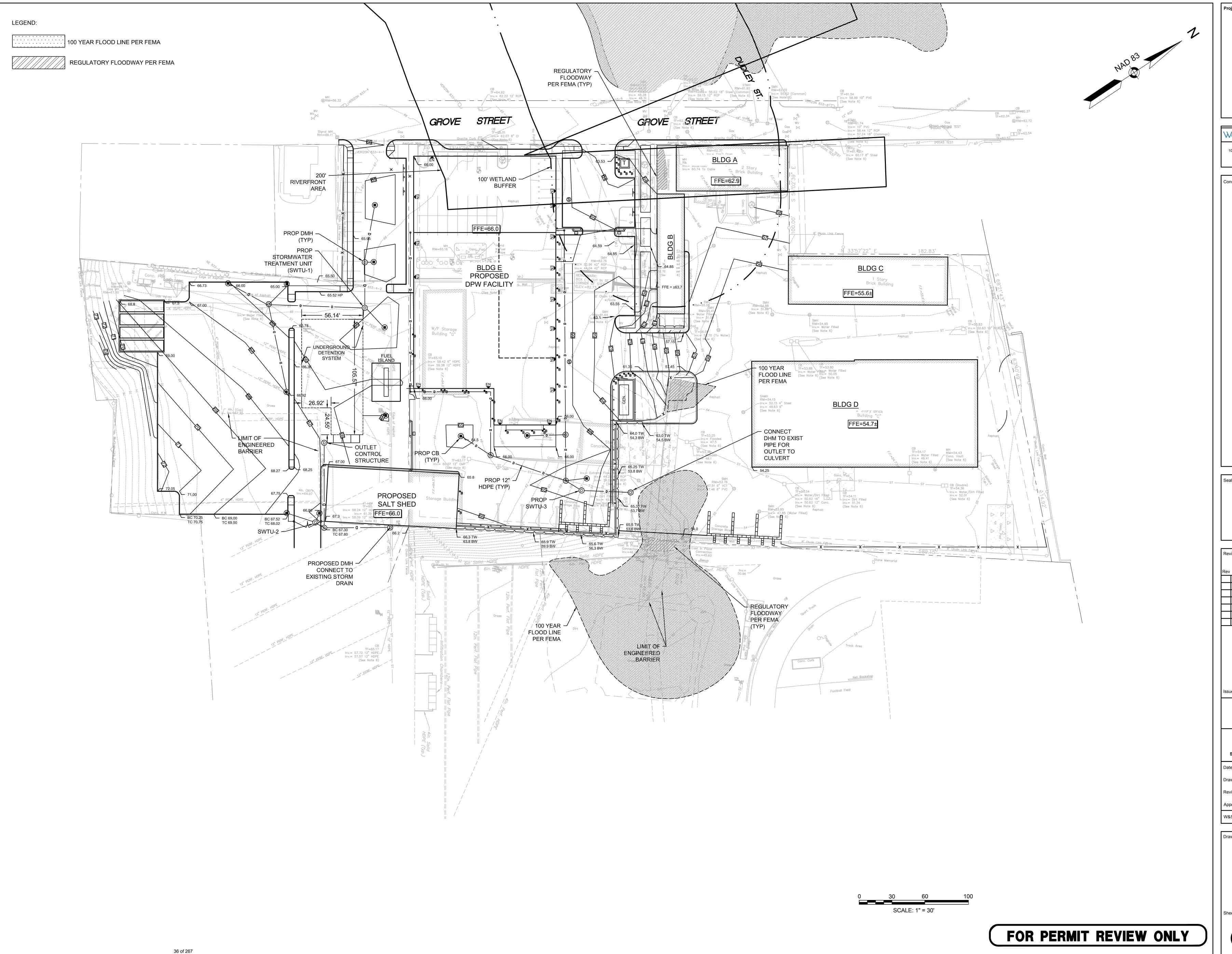
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Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

Regulation Update

Summary:

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Regulations Update: Section 33 Stormwater Management

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Reference Material Section_33_Stormwater_Management.pdf Section 33: Stormwater Management

Section 33 - Stormwater Management

A. Work or activity specified in a request for determination of applicability or an application for a permit and subject to the Bylaw shall meet, at a minimum and to the extent practicable, the best management practices for stormwater management as set forth in the Stormwater Standards of the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection. The Commission may in its sole discretion require the applicant to provide a runoff plan and calculations using the "Cornell" method, and based on the ten-year, fifty-year and one-hundred-year-flood frequency event period. Calculations shall show existing and proposed runoff conditions for comparative purposes and include a narrative on the proposed project's impact on climate change resilience of the resource area (see Section 31).

B. The requirements of this section shall be met commensurate with the nature, scope, type, and cost of the proposed project or activity

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Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

Request for Determination of Applicability: 22 Lawrence Lane

Summary:

Request for Determination of Applicability: 22 Lawrence Lane Arlington File #A20.3

The project proposes to build a new deck and renovate an existing patio within the 100-ft Wetlands Buffer and AURA of an isolated wetland. The proposed project will reduce the amount of impervious surface by 231 square feet.

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ם	Request for Determination of Applicability	22_Lawrence_Lane_Final_RDA.pdf	22 Lawrence Lane RDA



Massachusetts Department of Environmental ProtectionBureau of Resource Protection - Wetlands

ARLINGTON City/Town

WPA Form 1- Request for Determination of Applicability Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act M.G.L. c. 131, §40

A. General Information

Important: When filling out 1. forms on the computer, use only the tab key to move your cursor - do not use the return





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1.	Applicant:					
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	Brian Hodous Name	E-Mail Address				
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	Mailing Address					
	-	MA	02474			
	Arlington City/Town	State	Zip Code			
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	617-308-1086 Phone Number	Fax Number (if	annlicable)			
2.	Representative (if any):	Tax Hambor (II	арриоаво			
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	Firm					
	Larry Cohen	lcohen@ard	hadeck.com			
	Contact Name	E-Mail Address				
	16 Adams Street					
	Mailing Address					
	Burlington	MA	01803			
	City/Town	State	Zip Code			
	617-593-8975					
	Phone Number	Fax Number (i	f applicable)			
В.	. Determinations					
1.	I request the Arlington make the following	ing determination(s	s). Check any that apply:			
	Conservation Commission	,	,,,			
	a. whether the area depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced below is an area subject to jurisdiction of the Wetlands Protection Act.					
	 b. whether the boundaries of resource area(s) depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced below are accurately delineated. 					
	☑ c. whether the work depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the Wetlands Protection Act.					
	d. whether the area and/or work depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the jurisdiction of any municipal wetlands ordinance or bylaw of:					
	Arlington, MA					
	Name of Municipality					
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	 e. whether the following scope of alternatives is adec depicted on referenced plan(s). 	quate for work in th	ne Riverfront Area as			



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1. a. Project Location (use maps and plans to identify the location of the area subject to this request):

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	22 Lawrence Lane Arlington						
	Stre	et Address	City/Town				
			Lot 14				
	Asse	essors Map/Plat Number	Parcel/Lot Number				
	b.	Area Description (use additional paper, if necessar	ry):				
	C.	Plan and/or Map Reference(s):					
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2.	a.	Work Description (use additional paper and/or pro	vide plan(s) of work, if neo	essary):			
	1.	Build new wood framed deck supported on helica		c. 22'x16'), with			
	ngs	integrated hot tub support platform and stairs to y	ard.				
2.		novate the existing raised patio. Flagstone & ceme					
		resting on a porous compacted stone & sand base side yard.	d installed. Includes a sho	n waikway irom deck			
		ject will reduce the amount of impervious surface	onsite by 231 square feet.	The deck itself is			
oor	ous	and the patio base is going from solid concrete to	porous stone pack and sai	nd. This project			
con	side	rs climate change by reducing the amount of impe	rvious surface and improv	ing stormwater			
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C. Project Description (cont.)	C.	Pro	ject	Descri	ption	(cont.)
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	b. Identify provisions of the Wetlands Protection Act or regulations which may exe from having to file a Notice of Intent for all or part of the described work (use additinecessary).	empt the applicant onal paper, if
3.	a. If this application is a Request for Determination of Scope of Alternatives for we Riverfront Area, indicate the one classification below that best describes the project	ork in the t.
	☐ Single family house on a lot recorded on or before 8/1/96	
	☐ Single family house on a lot recorded after 8/1/96	
	Expansion of an existing structure on a lot recorded after 8/1/96	
	Project, other than a single-family house or public project, where the applicant before 8/7/96	owned the lot
	☐ Public project where funds were appropriated prior to 8/7/96	
	Project on a lot shown on an approved, definitive subdivision plan where there restriction limiting total alteration of the Riverfront Area for the entire subdivision	
	Residential subdivision; institutional, industrial, or commercial project	
	☐ Municipal project	
	☐ District, county, state, or federal government project	
	Project required to evaluate off-site alternatives in more than one municipality Environmental Impact Report under MEPA or in an alternatives analysis pursu application for a 404 permit from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers or 401 Was Certification from the Department of Environmental Protection.	ant to an
	b. Provide evidence (e.g., record of date subdivision lot was recorded) supporting above (use additional paper and/or attach appropriate documents, if necessary.)	g the classification



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WPA Form 1- Request for Determination of Applicability

Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act M.G.L. c. 131, §40

D. Signatures and Submittal Requirements

Name and address of the property owner:

I hereby certify under the penalties of perjury that the foregoing Request for Determination of Applicability and accompanying plans, documents, and supporting data are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I further certify that the property owner, if different from the applicant, and the appropriate DEP Regional Office were sent a complete copy of this Request (including all appropriate documentation) simultaneously with the submittal of this Request to the Conservation Commission.

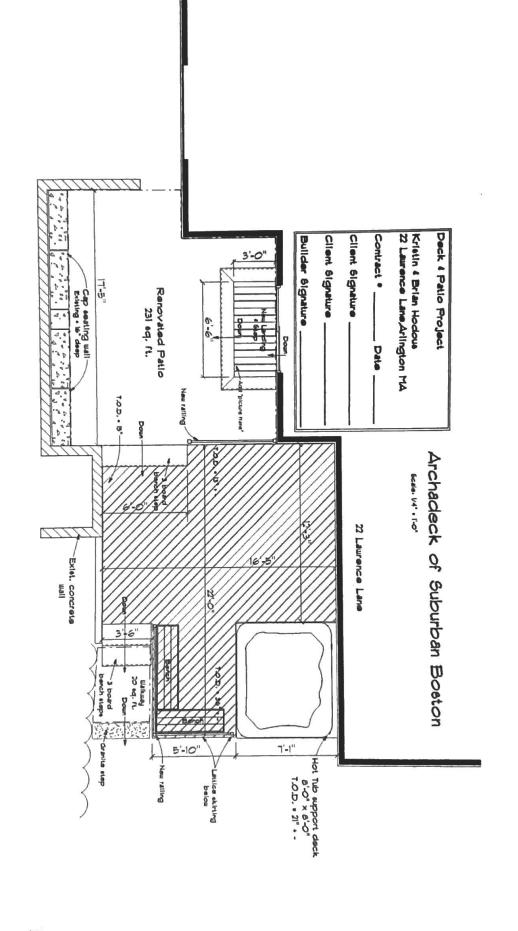
Failure by the applicant to send copies in a timely manner may result in dismissal of the Request for Determination of Applicability.

Brian Hodous	
Name	
22 Lawrence Lane	
Mailing Address	
Arlington	
City/Town	
MA	02474
State	Zip Code
Signatures:	
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Project Narrative

22 Lawrence Lane, Arlington, MA 02474

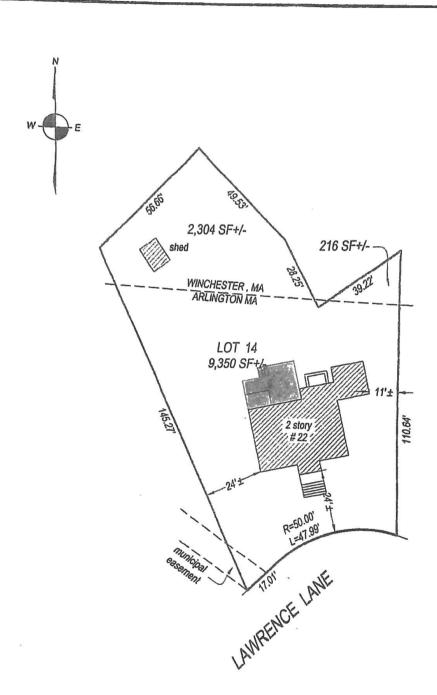
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LOCATION: 22 LAWRENCE LANE CITY, STATE: ARLINGTON, MA HODOUS & WILLIAMS CERTIFIED TO: LEADER BANK, N.A. 03-13-2017



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SCALE: 1" = 30'

FLOOD DETERMINATION

According to Federal Emergency Management Agency maps, the major improvements on this property fall in as area designated as

ZONE:

COMMUNITY PANEL No. 25017C0416E

EFFECTIVE DATE:

6/4/2010

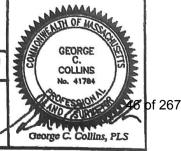
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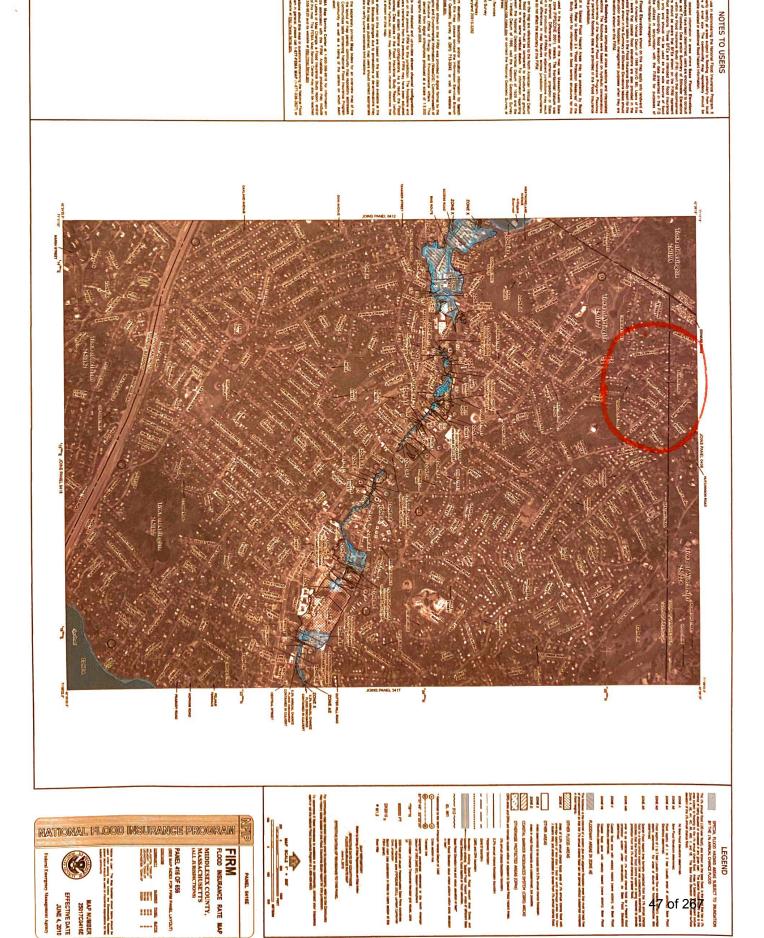
DEED: 66285/430 PLAN: 8353/195

NOTE: To show an accurate scale this plan must be printed on legal sized paper (8.5" x 14")

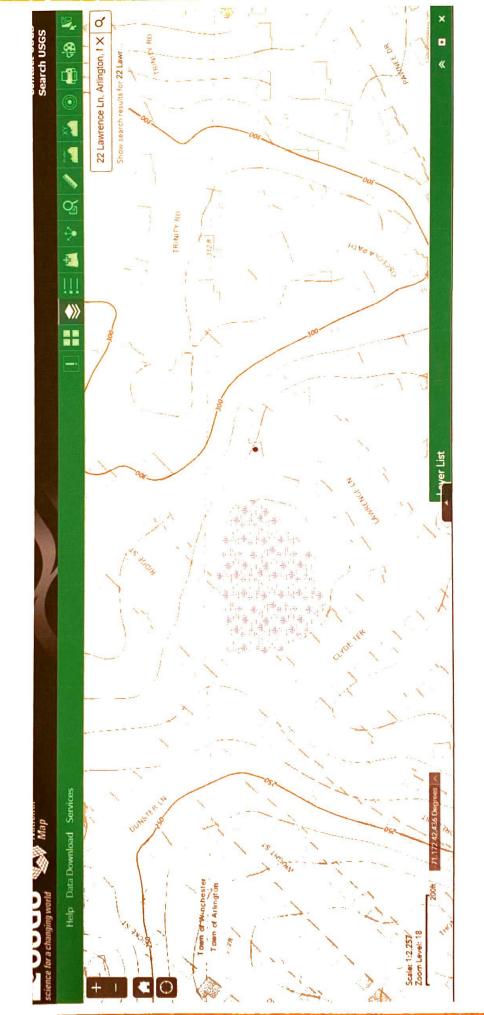
The permanent structures are approximately located on the ground as shown. They either conformed to the setback requirements of the local zoning ordinances in effect at the time of construction, or are exempt from violation enforcement action under M.G.L. Title VII, Chapter 40A, Section 7, and that are no encroachments of major improvements across property lines except as shown and noted hereon.

This is not a boundary or title insurance survey. This plan should not be used for construction, recording purposes or verification of property lines.





MAP NUMBER 25017C0416E



Wetland and Flood GIS Viewer

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Bylaw Filing Fees and Transmittal Form

Rules:

- 1. Fees are payable at the time of filing the application and are non-refundable.
- 2. Fees shall be calculated per schedule below.
- 3. Town, County, State, and Federal Projects are exempt from fees.
- 4. These fees are in addition to the fees paid under M.G.L. Ch. 131, s.40 (ACT).

Fee Schedule (ACC approved 1/8/15):

\$	No./Area	Category
\$150		(R1) RDA- \$150 local fee, no state fee
		(N1) Minor Project - \$200 (house addition, tennis court, swimming pool,
		utility work, work in/on/or affecting any body of water, wetland or
		floodplain).
		(N2) Single Family Dwelling - \$600
		(N3) Multiple Dwelling Structures - \$600 + \$100 per unit all or part of
		which lies within 100 feet of wetlands or within land subject to flooding.
		(N4) Commercial, Industrial, and Institutional Projects -
		\$800 + 50¢/s.f. wetland disturbed; 2¢/s.f. land subject to flooding or buffer
		zone disturbed.
		(N5) Subdivisions - \$600 + \$4/l.f. feet of roadway sideline within 100 ft. of
		wetlands or within land subject to flooding.
		(N6) Other Fees - copies, printouts; per public records law
		(N7) Minor Project Change - \$50
		(N8) Work on Docks, Piers, Revetments, Dikes, etc - \$4 per linear foot
		(N9) Resource Boundary Delineation (ANRAD) - \$1 per linear foot
		(N10) Certificate of Compliance (COC or PCOC) - No charge if before
		expiration of Order, \$200 if after that date.
		(N11) Amendments - \$300 or 50% of original local filing fee, whichever is less.
	-	(N12) Extensions -
		a. Single family dwelling or minor project - \$100.
		b. Other - \$150.
		(N13) Consultant Fee -per estimate from consultant
4150	TOTAL	

Note: Submit this form along with the forms submitted for the ACT - the "Wetlands Filing Fee Calculations Worksheet," and the "Notice of Intent Fee Transmittal Form."

Abutter Notification

Notification to Abutters Under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act And Arlington Wetlands Protection Bylaw

In accordance with the second paragraph of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 131, Section 40, and the Arlington Wetlands Protection Bylaw, you are hereby notified of the following:

The Conservation Commission will hold a virtual public meeting using Zoom, on Thursday, August 20, 2020, at 7:30 in accordance with the provisions of the Mass. Wetlands Protection Act (M.G.L. Ch. 131, s. 40, as amended), the Town of Arlington Bylaws Article 8, Bylaw for Wetland Protection, and in accordance with the Governor's Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G. L. c. 30A, § 20 relating to the COVID-19 emergency, for a Request for Determination of Applicability from Brian and Kristin Hodous, for patio renovations and new porous deck at 22 Lawrence Lane, within 100 feet of a wetland. Please refer to the Commission's online meeting agenda for specific Zoom meeting access information.

A copy of the application and accompanying plans are available by request by contacting the Arlington Conservation Agent at 781-316-3012 or esullivan@town.arlington.ma.us. For more information call the applicant at 617-756-6967 or the Arlington Conservation Commission at 781-316-3012, or the DEP Northeast Regional Office at 978-694-3200.

NOTE: Notice of the Public Hearing will be published at least five (5) business days in advance in *The Arlington Advocate* and will also be posted at least 48 hours in advance in the Arlington Town Hall.

Affidavit of Service

(Please return to Conservation Commission)

I, Brian Hodous, being duly sworn, do hereby state as follows: on August 7, 2020, I mailed a "Notification to Abutters" in compliance with the second paragraph of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 131, s.40, the DEP Guide to Abutter Notification dated April 8, I994, and the Arlington Wetlands Protection Bylaw, Title V, Article 8 of the Town of Arlington Bylaws in connection with the following matter:

- Work to be completed at 22 Lawrence Lane, Arlington, MA 02474.
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 itself is porous and the patio base is going from solid concrete to porous stone pack and
 sand. This project considers climate change by reducing the amount of impervious surface
 and improving stormwater infiltration.

The form of the notification, and a list of the abutters to whom it was provided and their addresses, are attached to this Affidavit of Service.

Signed under the pains and penalties of perjury, this of day of Aug 2020

Name (Name



Office of the Board of Assessors Robbins Memorial Town Hall Arlington, MA 02476 (781) 316-3050 Assessors@town.arlington.ma.us

Abutters List Date: July 10, 2020

Subject Property Address: 22 LAWRENCE LN Arlington, MA

Subject Property ID: 108-2-9

Search Distance: 100 Feet

Please see enclosed map for any abutting property within 100 feet that is in another city or town.

The Board of Assessors certifies the names and addresses of requested parties in interest, all abutters within 100 feet of the property lines, of subject property.

Board of Assessors

Abutters List

Date: July 10, 2020

Subject Property Address: 22 LAWRENCE LN Arlington,

MA

Subject Property ID: 108-2-9

Search Distance: 100 Feet

Prop ID: 108-2-10

Prop Location: 18 LAWRENCE LN Arlington, MA

Owner: LULL CHRISTINE E

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 18 LAWRENCE LANE ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 108-2-11.A

Prop Location: 14 LAWRENCE LN Arlington, MA

Owner: O GRADY JOSEPH F & JANE R

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 14 LAWRENCE LANE ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 108-2-22

Prop Location: 0-LOT FOREST ST Arlington, MA

Owner: SHANKS CAROLYN

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 9 RIDGE ST

WINCHESTER, MA 01890

Prop ID: 108-2-23

Prop Location: 0-LOT LAWRENCE LN Arlington, MA

Owner: TOWN OF ARLINGTON CON COM

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 730 MASS AVE

ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 108-2-7.A

Prop Location: 25 LAWRENCE LN Arlington, MA Owner: MATHESON CAMERON R & ACACIA B

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 25 LAWRENCE LANE

ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 108-2-8.A

Prop Location: 26 LAWRENCE LN Arlington, MA

Owner: LANATA MARIE E

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 26 LAWRENCE LANE ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 108-2-9

Prop Location: 22 LAWRENCE LN Arlington, MA

Owner: HODOUS BRIAN L Co-Owner: WILLIAMS KRISTIN

Mailing Address: 22 LAWRENCE LN ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Legal Notice Charge Authorization

DATE:	7/11/2020	
TO:	legals@wickedlocal.com	
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Conservation		oject at the following location:
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Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

Request for Certificate of Compliance: Spy Pond Edge and Erosion Control Project

Summary:

Request for Certificate of Compliance: Spy Pond Edge and Erosion Control Project MassDEP File #091-0299

The project as approved proposed shoreline stabilization and ecological restoration activities on the Town-owned properties located at Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, and area west of the Boys and Girls Club in the 100-ft wetlands buffer and AURA of Spy Pond. The project was approved on 09/05/2018.

ATTACHMENTS:

Туре	File Name	Description
Request for Certificate of Compliance	Spy_Pond_COC_Request_Cover_Letter_2020-07-31.pdf	Spy Pond RCOC Cover Letter
Request for Certificate of Compliance	wpafrm8a_Spy_Pond.pdf	Spy Pond RCOC WPA Form 8a
Request for Certificate of Compliance	Spy_Pond_Record_Plan_Set2020.07.31-compressed.pdf	Spy Pond RCOC As-Built
Request for Certificate of Compliance	Spy_Pond_Shoreline_Erosion_Control_Project _wpaform5.pdf	Spy Pond OOC Part 1
Request for Certificate of Compliance	Spy_Pond_Shoreline_Erosion_Control_Project _Findings_and_Special_Conditions.pdf	Spy Pond OOC Part 2
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July 31, 2020

Reference: H/355321/001

Arlington Conservation Commission Town Hall, 730 Massachusetts Ave Arlington, MA 02476

Subject: Request for Certificate of Compliance

Spy Pond Edge Protection & Erosion Control Project - OOC #091-0299

Dear Ms. Sullivan and Members of the Commission,

On behalf of the Arlington Parks and Recreation Commission, Hatch Associates Consultants, Inc. (Hatch) is submitting a request for certificate of compliance for the above referenced project pursuant to the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (MGL Chapter 131, Section 40) and the Town of Arlington Bylaws Article 8, Bylaw for Wetland Protection for the completed shoreline stabilization and ecological restoration activities on the Town-owned properties located at Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, and area west of the Boys and Girls Club.

The final construction substantially complies with the plans approved by the Commission under the associated Order of Conditions with the following deviations:

- 1. No work was completed at Spring Valley Street terminus.
- 2. No work was completed at the North Beach in Spy Pond Park.
- 3. Work associated with the south timber overlook (near Linwood Street) including path, regrading, and tree removals was removed from the project and not completed.
- 4. Removal of the existing chain-link fence and replacement with a new chain-link fence at Scannell Field fence was removed from project and not completed. The new meadow along the proposed chain-link fence was also not installed.
- 5. The length of the vegetated swale along Scannell Field was reduced by approximately 90 feet due to a conflict with existing below grade concrete foundations.
- 6. Additional regrading, installation of erosion control matting, and turf seeding was completed on the slope between the existing Minuteman Bikeway and the new porous pavement path in Spy Pond Park.
- 7. New park fence on each side of the existing stone overlooks and the new overlook was not installed, instead additional shrub plantings were installed.
- 8. There were field modifications to the coir fascine design at the shoreline of Spy Pond Park and Scannell Field. At some locations 20" diameter coir fascine was used instead of single and stacked 12" diameter coir fascines. At several locations at Scannell Field, coir fascines were not installed due to large tree roots or boulders that are providing shoreline protection.
- 9. At the area west of Boys & Girls Club, the concrete flare end section was not installed at the existing 12" outfall pipe at the direction of the Town Engineer. The western limit of coir fascine was pulled

back and reduced to accommodate a buried 18" outfall pipe that was found. This change was also made at the direction of the Town Engineer.

Enclosed please find a digital copy of the WPA Form 8A and the Record Plan Set.

If the Commission requires clarification or additional information regarding this request for COC, please contact me at (978)-224-3131 or at hilary.holmes@hatch.com.

Respectfully,

HATCH

Hilary Holmes, PE Senior Civil Engineer

Cc: Joseph Connelly, Recreation Director

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Massachusetts Department of Environmental ProtectionBureau of Resource Protection - Wetlands

WPA Form 8A – Request for Certificate of ComplianceMassachusetts Wetlands Protection Act M.G.L. c. 131, §40

DEP File Number:

Provided by DEP

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A. Project Information (cont.)

work regulated by it was never started.



Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection Bureau of Resource Protection - Wetlands

WPA Form 8A – Request for Certificate of ComplianceMassachusetts Wetlands Protection Act M.G.L. c. 131, §40

DEP File Number:

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•		of Conditions for this project, or the portion of the project subject to this request, contain any plans stamped by a registered professional engineer, architect, landscape nd surveyor?
	⊠ Yes	If yes, attach a written statement by such a professional certifying substantial compliance with the plans and describing what deviation, if any, exists from the plans approved in the Order.
	□ No	

B. Submittal Requirements

Requests for Certificates of Compliance should be directed to the issuing authority that issued the final Order of Conditions (OOC). If the project received an OOC from the Conservation Commission, submit this request to that Commission. If the project was issued a Superseding Order of Conditions or was the subject of an Adjudicatory Hearing Final Decision, submit this request to the appropriate DEP Regional Office (see http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/massdep/about/contacts/find-the-massdep-regional-officefor-your-city-or-town.html).

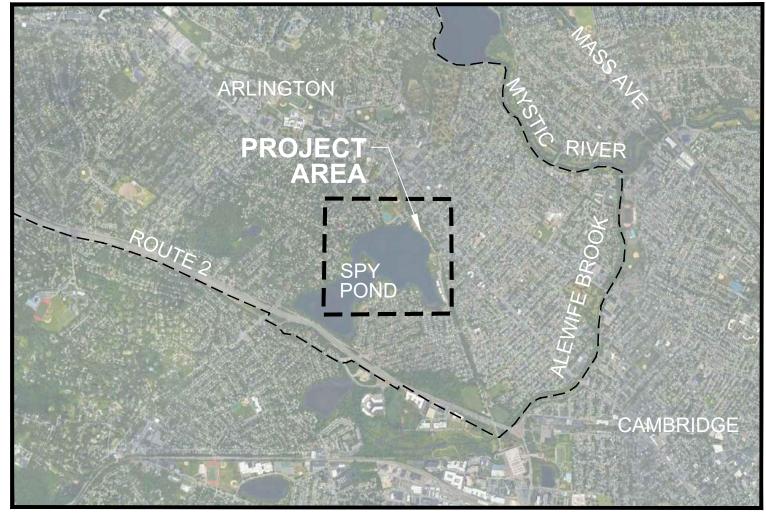
SPY POND EDGE & EROSION CONTROL PROJECT

RECORD SET

JULY 31, 2020

PROJECT LOCATION PLAN



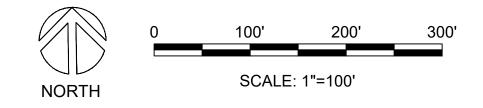


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- IDENTIFY AND CONTROL SOURCES OF EROSION ALONG THE BANKS OF THE POND
- PROTECT AND ENHANCE WILDLIFE HABITAT BY PROTECTING THE POND'S NATURAL EDGES WITH **BIOENGINEERING TECHNIQUES**
- CONTROL ACCESS TO THE VEGETATED BUFFER AREAS TO PREVENT UNAUTHORIZED PATHS ALONG THE SHORELINE
- INCREASE RECREATIONAL QUALITY AND OPPORTUNITY FOR WATER USE ALONG THE POND SHORELINE
- INCREASE STORMWATER INFILTRATION ALONG THE **SHORELINE**

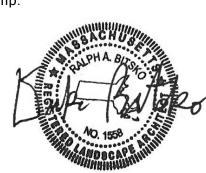
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PROJECT LIMITS



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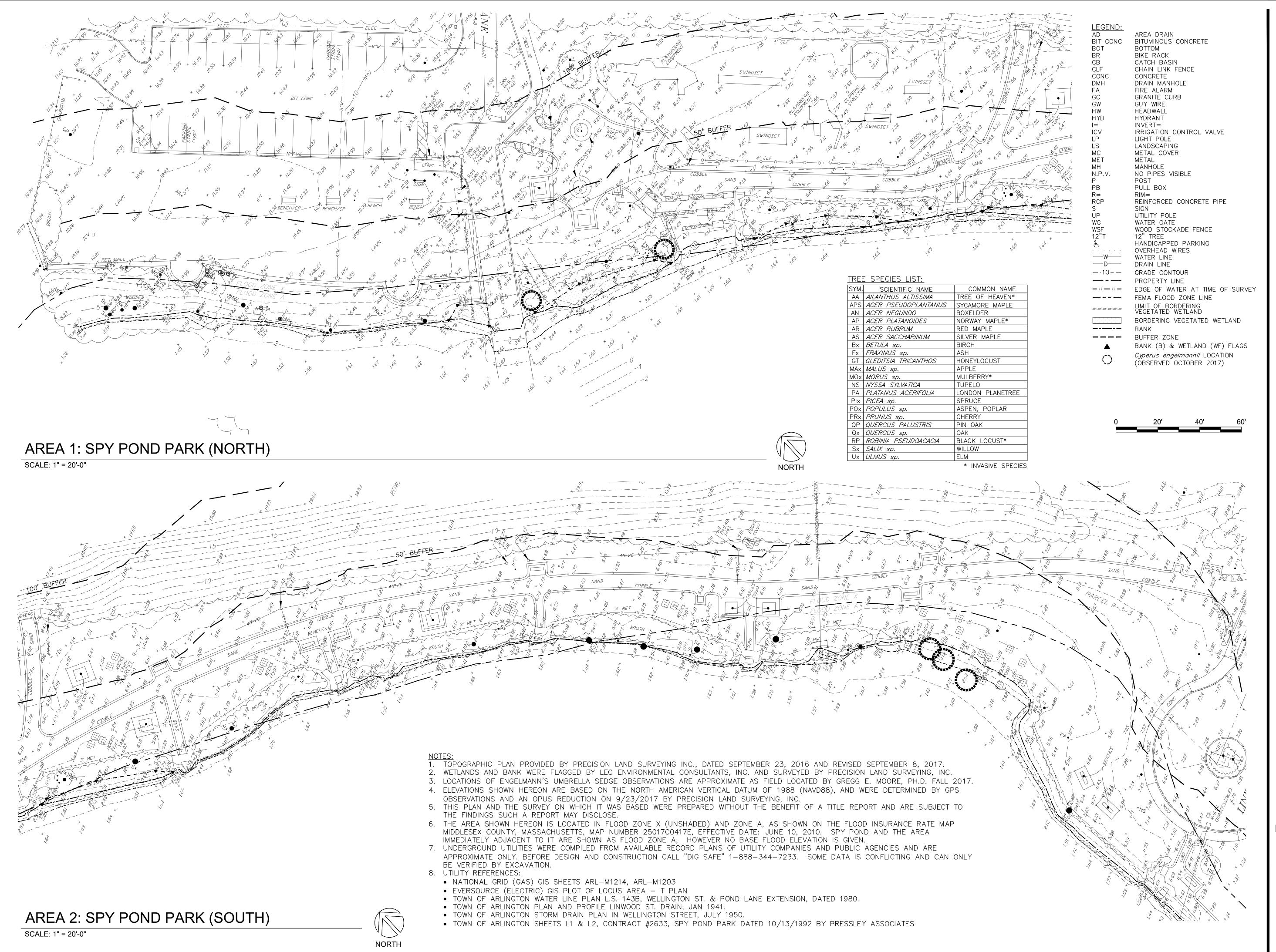
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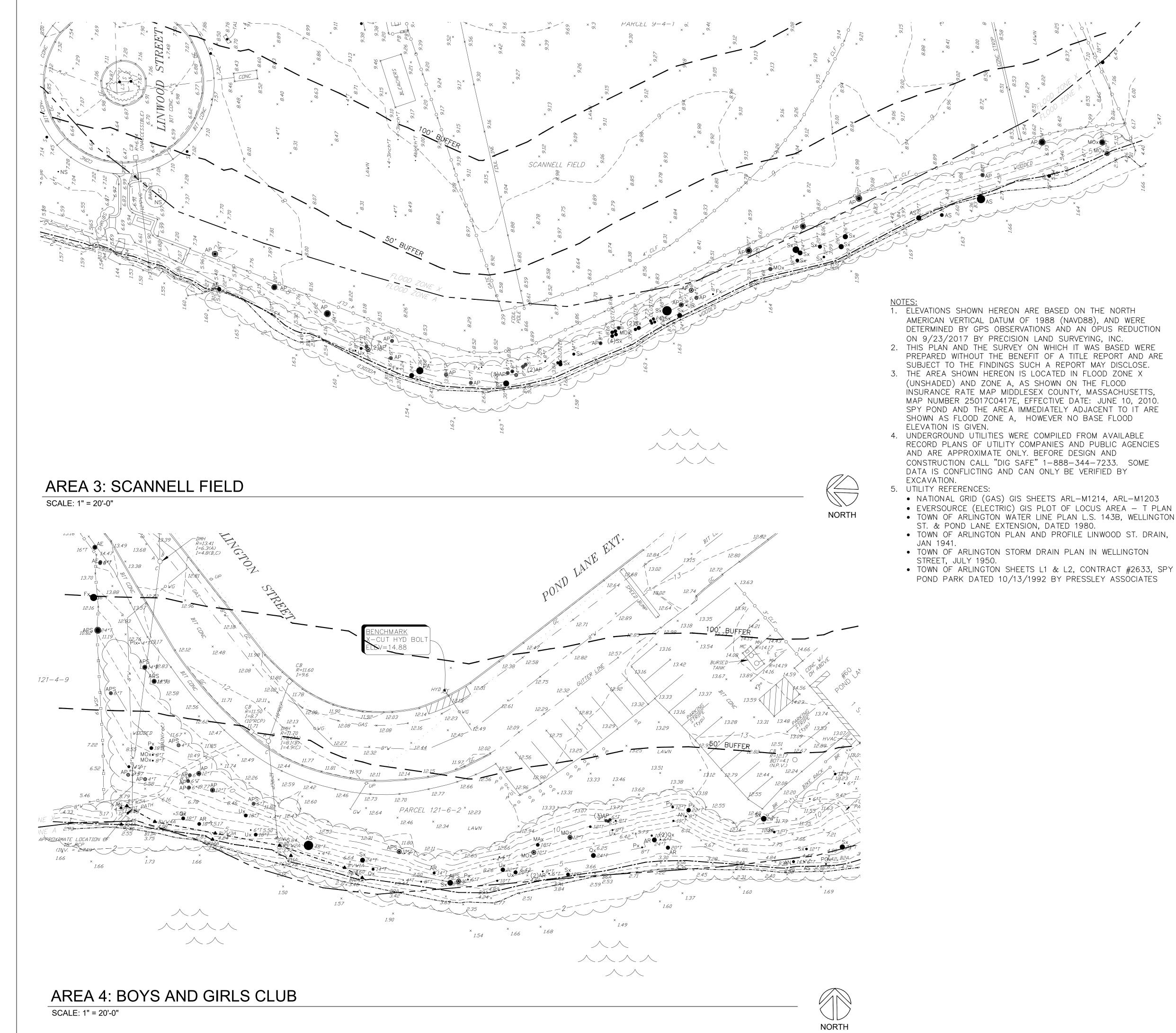
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EXISTING CONDITIONS & RESOURCE AREAS PLAN



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	ACER SACCHARINUM	SILVER MAPLE				
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	FRAXINUS sp.	ASH				
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	PRUNUS sp.	CHERRY				
	QUERCUS PALUSTRIS	PIN OAK				
	QUERCUS sp.	OAK				
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Sx	SALIX sp.	WILLOW				
Jx	ULMUS sp.	ELM				
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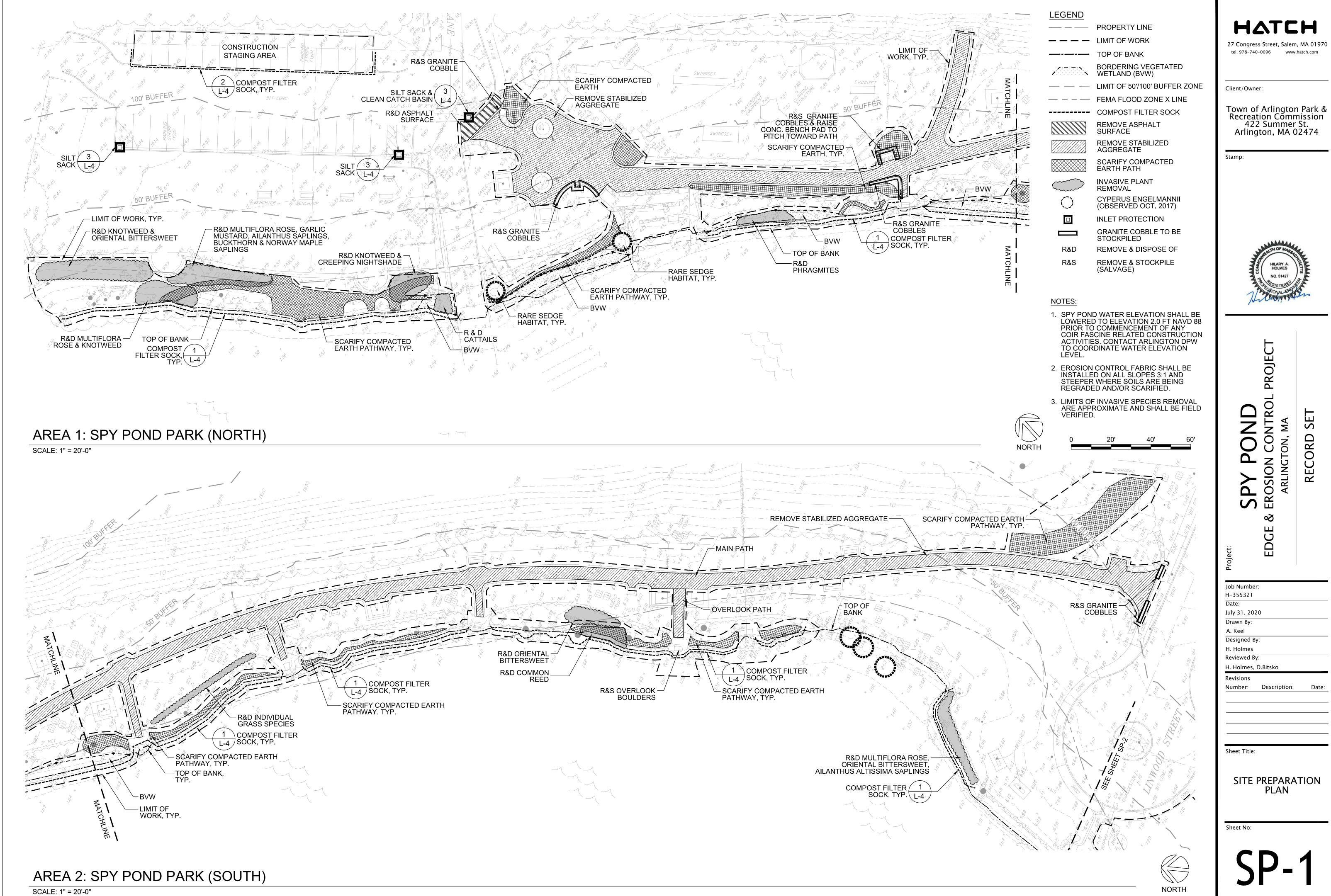
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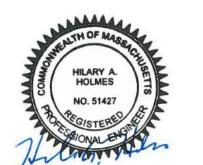
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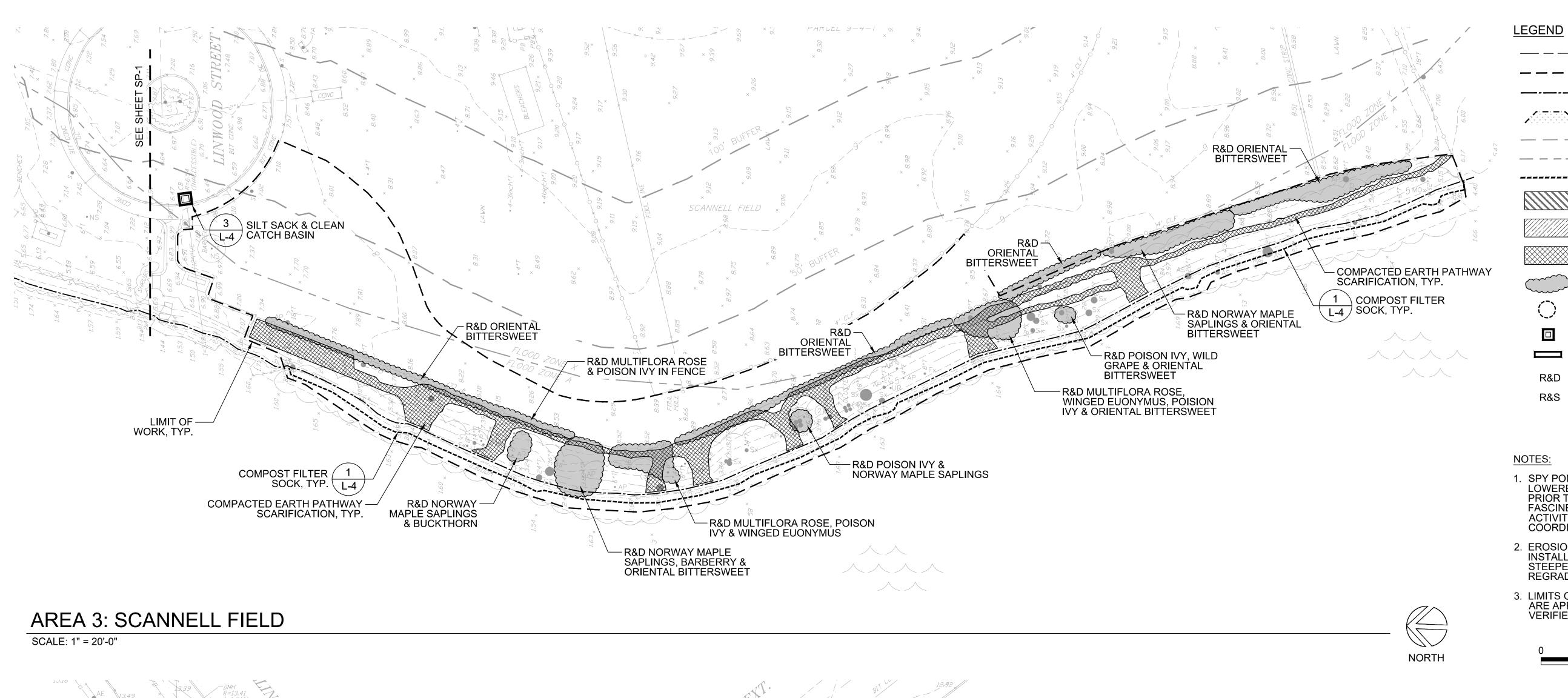
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EXISTING CONDITIONS & RESOURCE AREA PLAN









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INVASIVE PLANT REMOVAL



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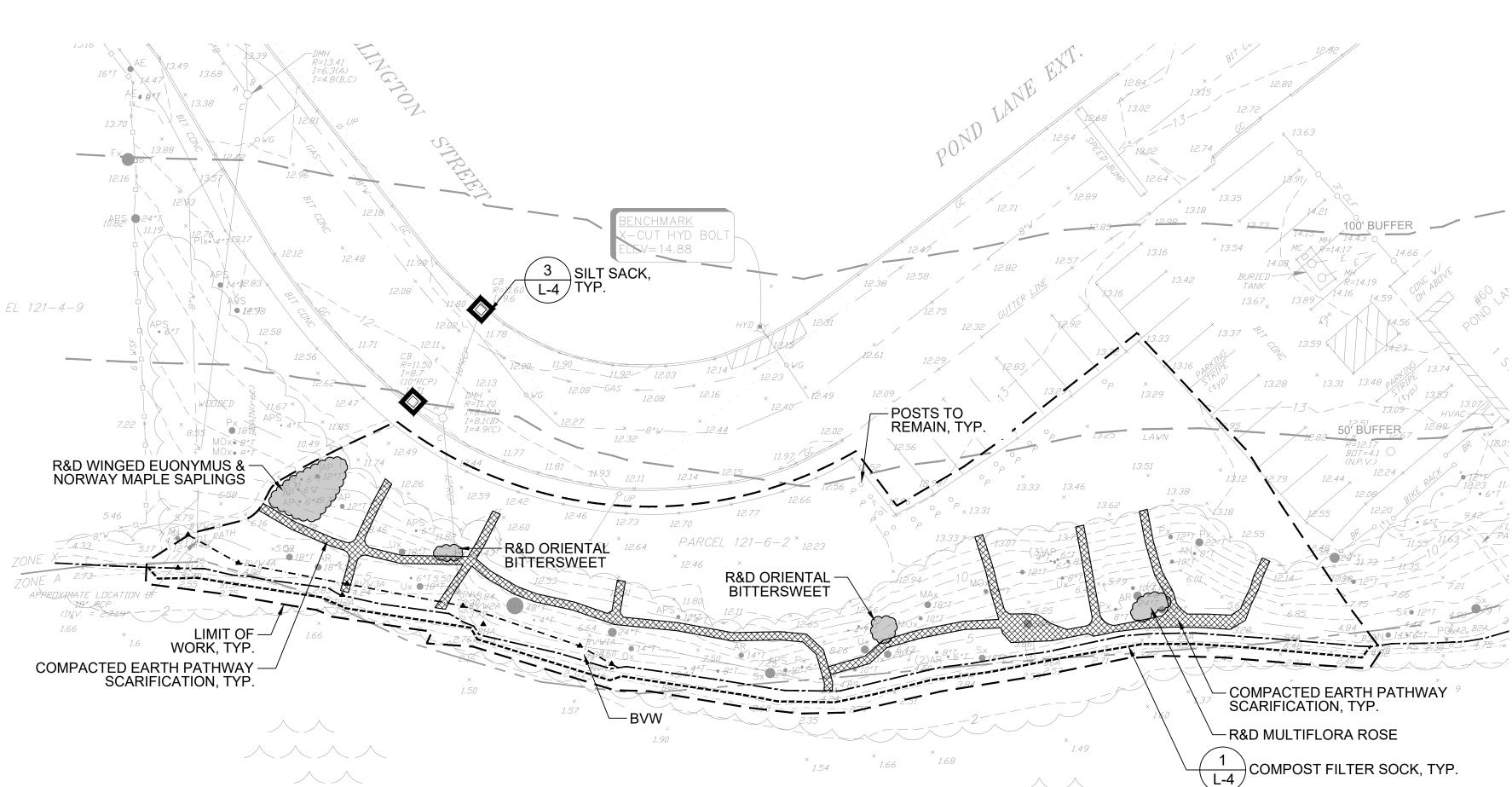


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- 2. EROSION CONTROL FABRIC SHALL BE INSTALLED ON ALL SLOPES 3:1 AND STEEPER WHERE SOILS ARE BEING REGRADED AND/OR SCARIFIED.
- 3. LIMITS OF INVASIVE SPECIES REMOVAL ARE APPROXIMATE AND SHALL BE FIELD





AREA 4: BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB

SCALE: 1" = 20'-0"



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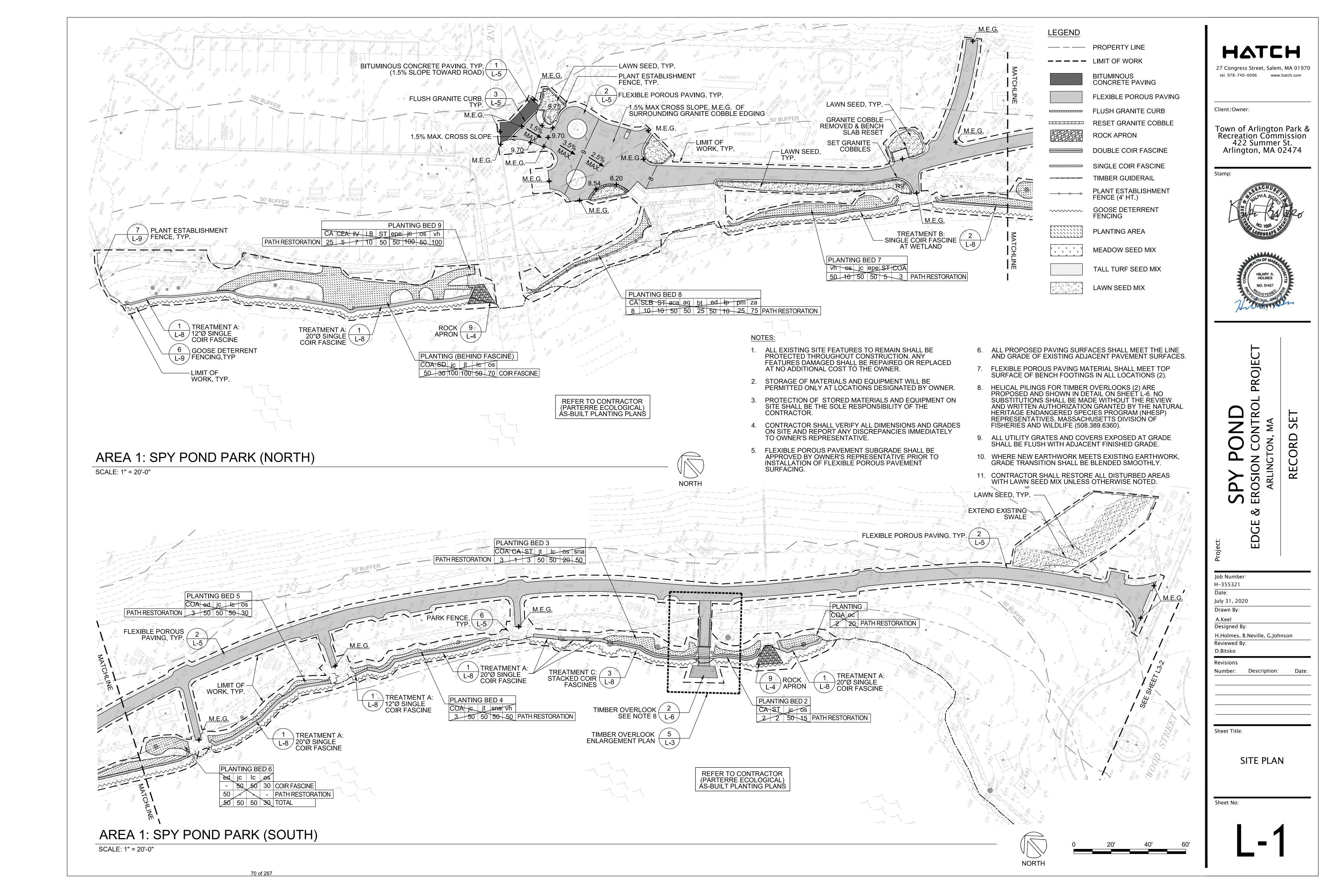
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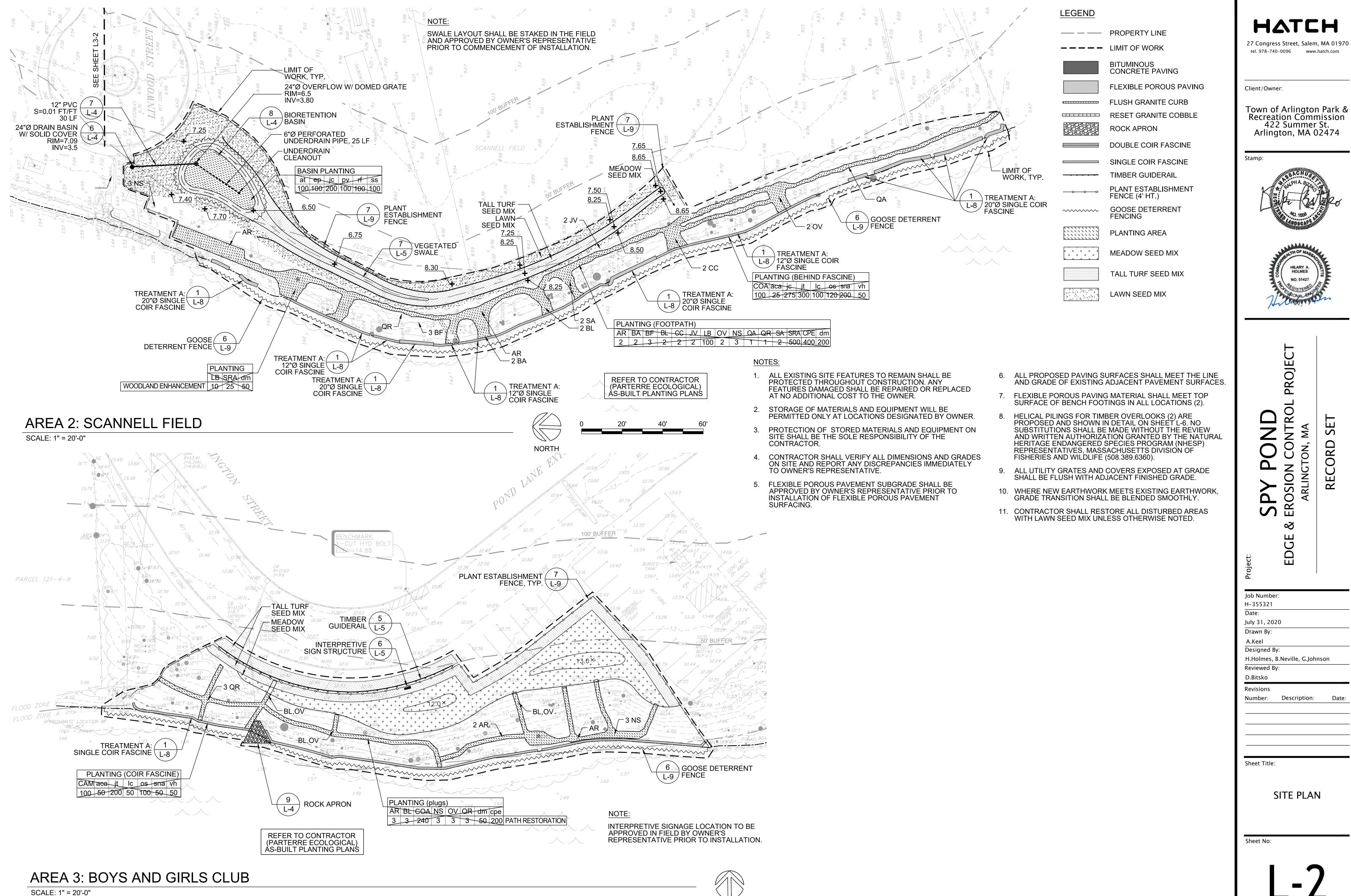
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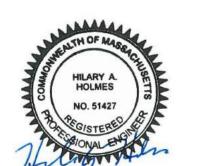
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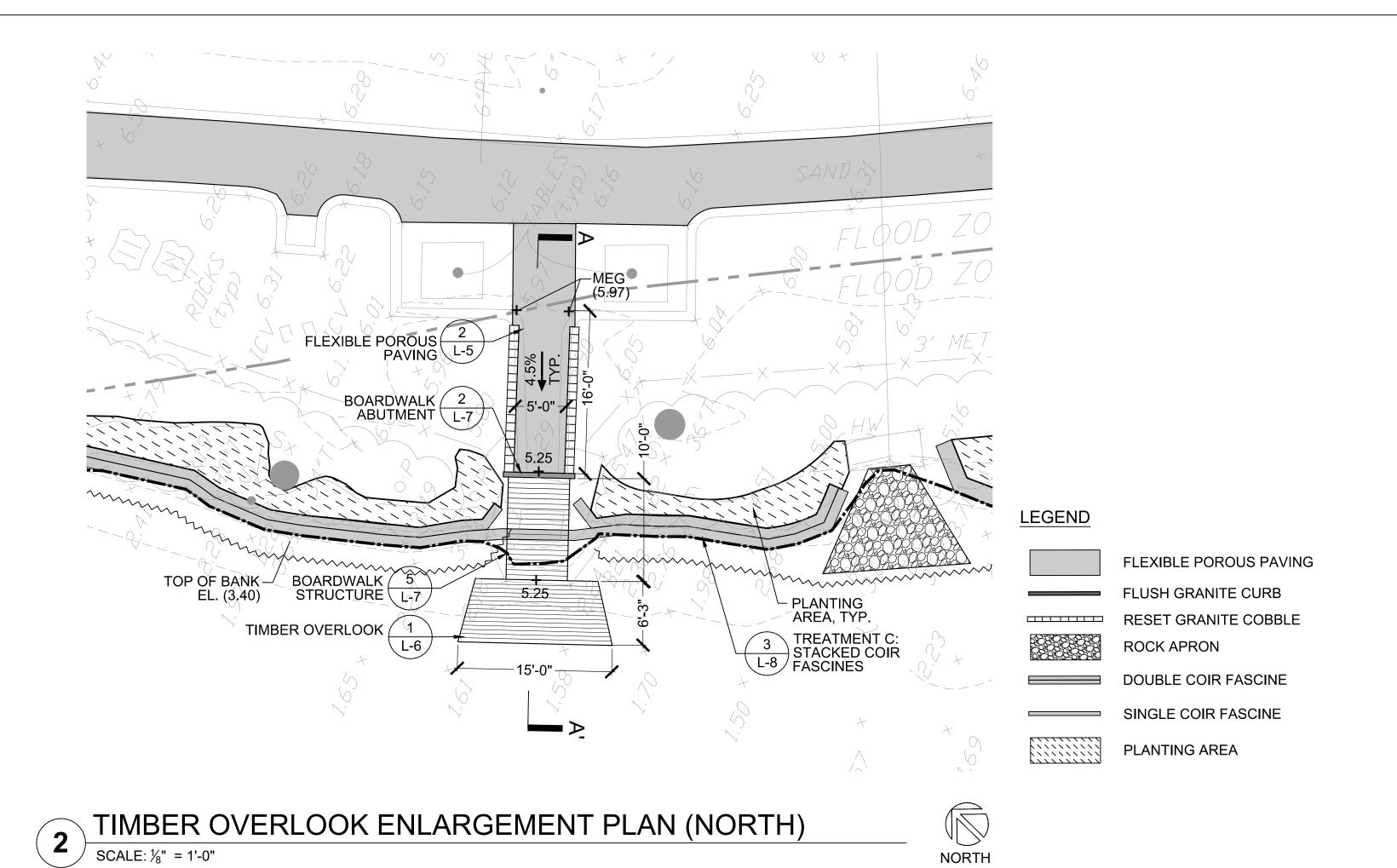
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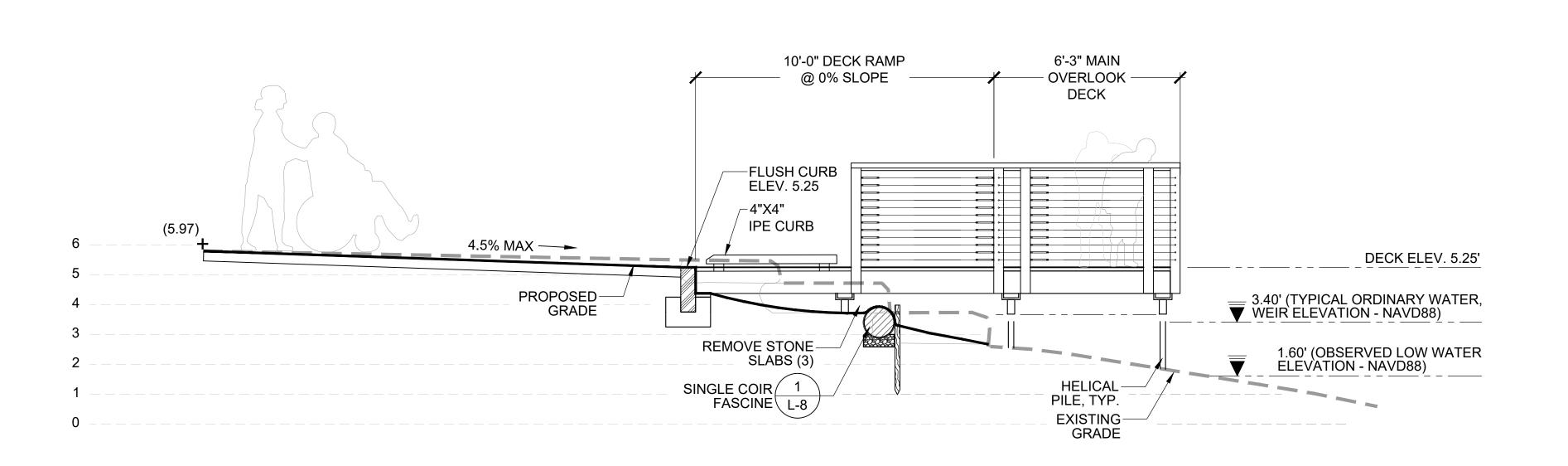
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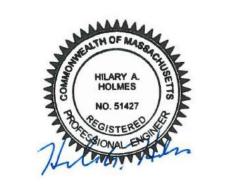
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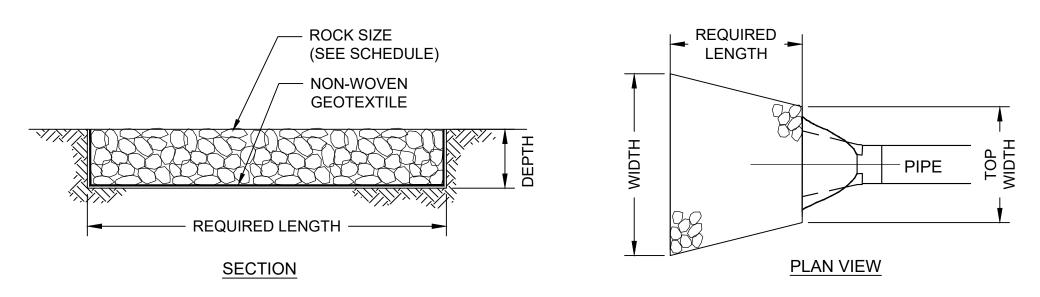
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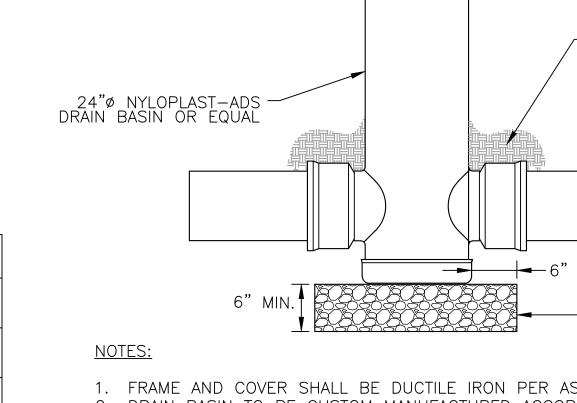
TIMBER OVERLOOK ENLARGEMENT PLANS & SECTIONS

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TIMBER OVERLOOK SECTION A-A' (NORTH)

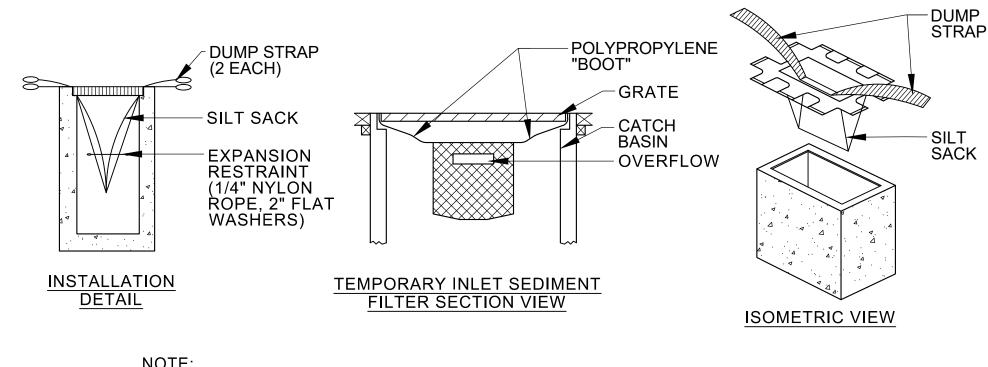


ROCK APRON DESIGN SCHEDULE									
DISCHARGE PIPE LOCATION	APRON TYPE	PIPE DIA. (IN)	TOP WIDTH (FT)	LENGTH (FT)	WIDTH (FT)	ROCK SIZE	REQUIRED DEPTH (FT)		
SPY POND PARK (NORTH)	RIPRAP	18	4.5	10	14.5	D50=6"	1.5		
SPY POND PARK (SOUTH)	RIPRAP	18	4.5	10	14.5	D50=6"	1.5		
NEAR BOYS & GIRLS CLUB	RIPRAP	12	3	11	14	D50=6"	1.5		



I. FRAME AND COVER SHALL BE DUCTILE IRON PER ASTM A536 GRADE 70-50-05 DRAIN BASIN TO BE CUSTOM MANUFACTURED ACCORDING TO PLAN DETAILS. 3. DRAINAGE CONNECTION STUB JOINT TIGHTNESS SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM D3212 FOR CORRUGATED HDPE (ADS N-12/HANCOR DUAL WALL), N-12 HP, & PVC SEWER.

- FINISH GRADE



MAINTAIN FILTER IN ACCORDANCE WITH MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATIONS.



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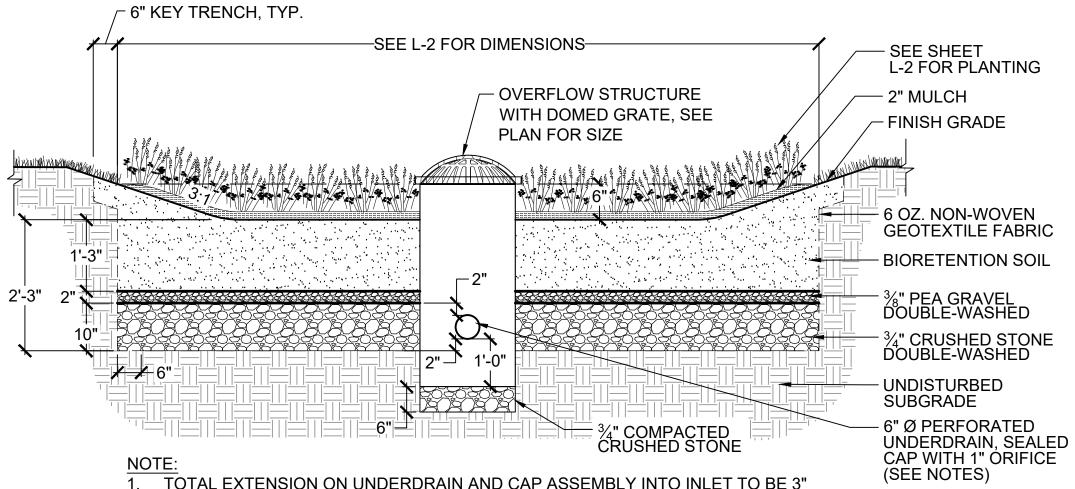
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ROCK APRON SCALE: NTS



APPROVED EQUIVALENT). UNDERDRAIN EXTENSION SHALL BE DUAL WALL CLEANOUT ADS 0674AG (OR APPROVED EQUIVALENT).

BIORETENTION BASIN

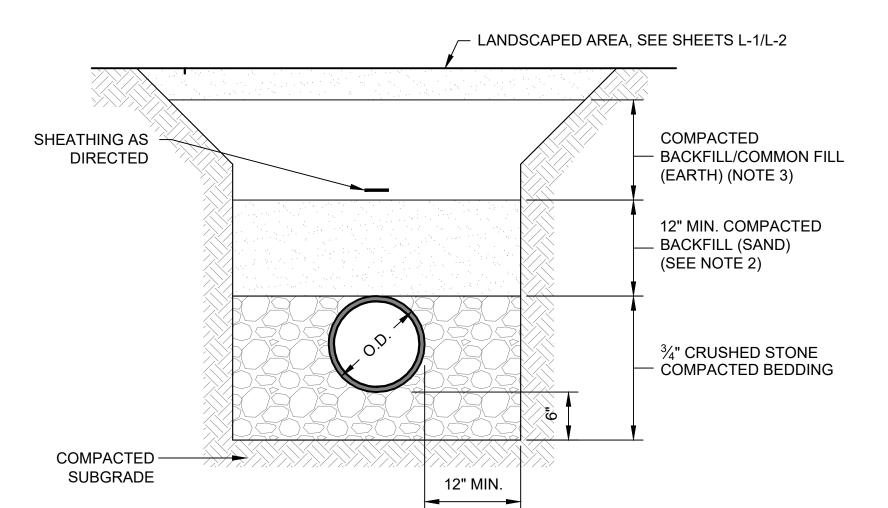
SERVICE PIPE STAINLESS STEEL PIPE CLAMP STAINLESS STEEL EXPANSION BAND **FLEXIBLE RUBBER** CONNECTOR CONCRETE TRUNK LINE OR MANHOLE WALL 4 D > 24"

OPENING IN CONCRETE WALL SHALL BE CORED USING HIGH SPEED DIAMOND DRILL

2. ALL METAL FIXTURES SHALL BE OF STAINLESS STEEL. 3. SERVICE LINE SHALL BE FLUSH WITH THE INSIDE OF THE CONCRETE PIPE OR WALL.

4. IF TRUNK LINE DIAMETER IS LESS THAN 24" THEN A SADDLE TYPE CONNECTION WILL BE USED.

TYP. FIELD CONNECTION TO CONCRETE PIPE SCALE: NTS

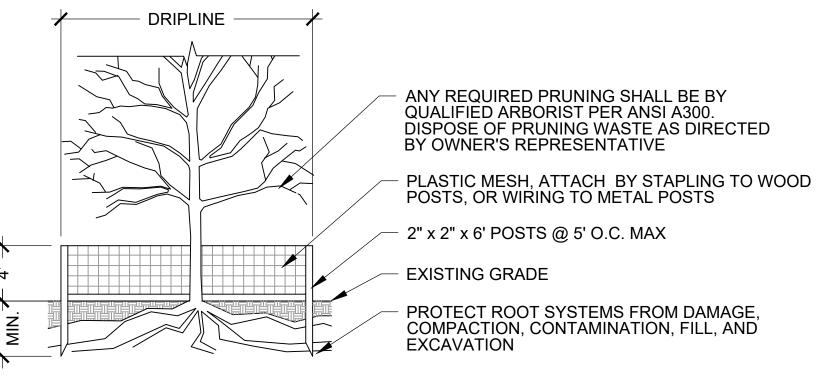


COMPACT BACKFILL IN 12" LIFTS.

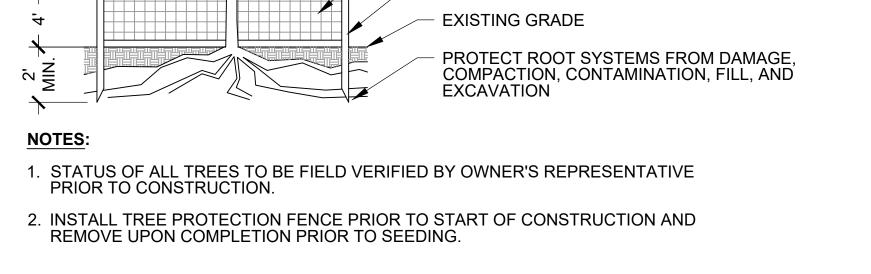
PIPE TRENCH

SCALE: NTS

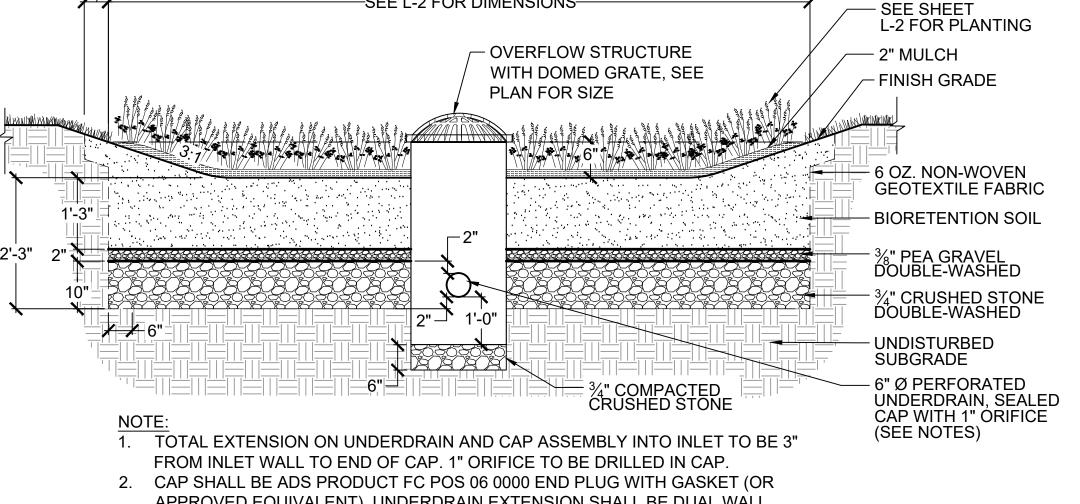
- 2. BACKFILL MATERIAL FOR THIS ZONE SHALL CONTAIN STONES NO LARGER THAN 3 INCHES IN DIAMETER.
- 3. BACKFILL MATERIAL FOR THIS ZONE SHALL CONTAIN STONES NO LARGER THAN 6 INCHES IN DIAMETER.



NOTES: 1. STATUS OF ALL TREES TO BE FIELD VERIFIED BY OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. 2. INSTALL TREE PROTECTION FENCE PRIOR TO START OF CONSTRUCTION AND REMOVE UPON COMPLETION PRIOR TO SEEDING.







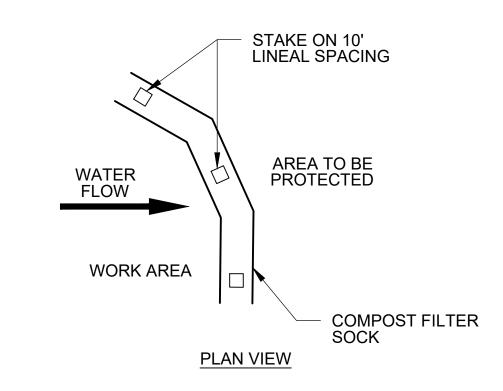
4. ADAPTERS CAN BE MOUNTED ON ANY ANGLE 0° TO 360°.

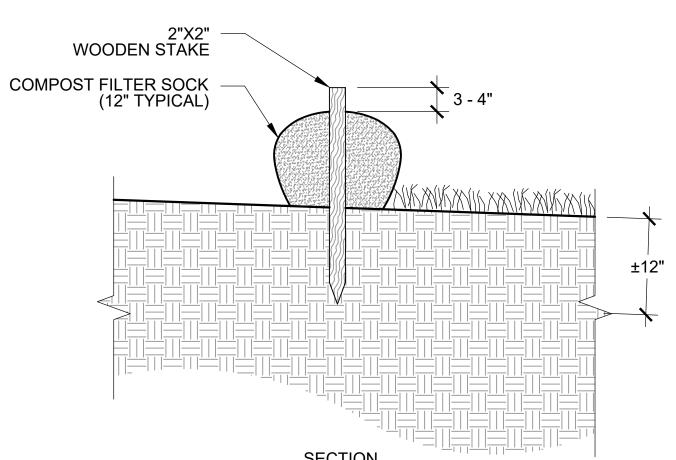
DRAIN BASIN

- COMPACTED BACKFILL/COMMON FILL (EARTH) -- 34" CRUSHED STONE

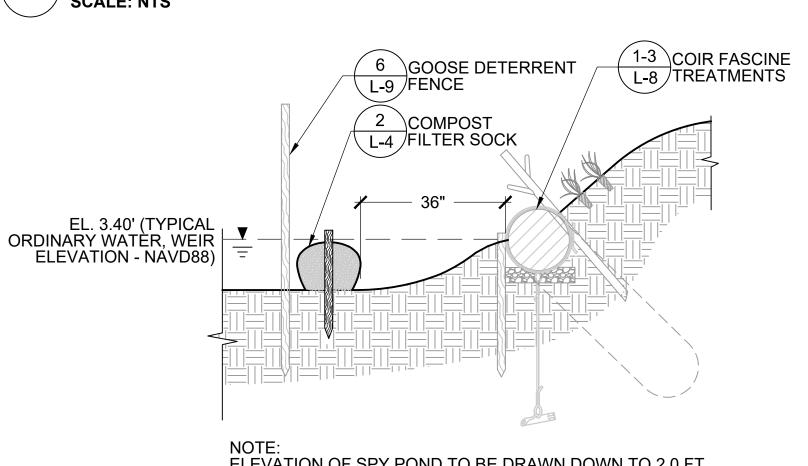


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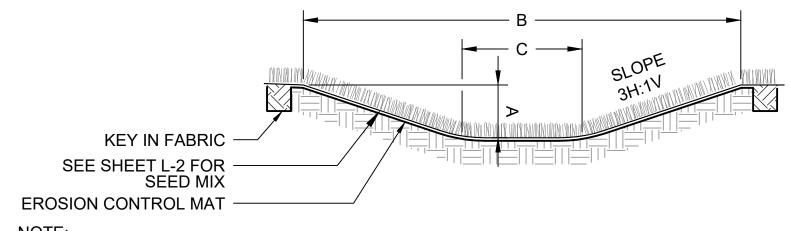








ELEVATION OF SPY POND TO BE DRAWN DOWN TO 2.0 FT NAVD 88 PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF ANY COIR FASCINE RELATED CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES.



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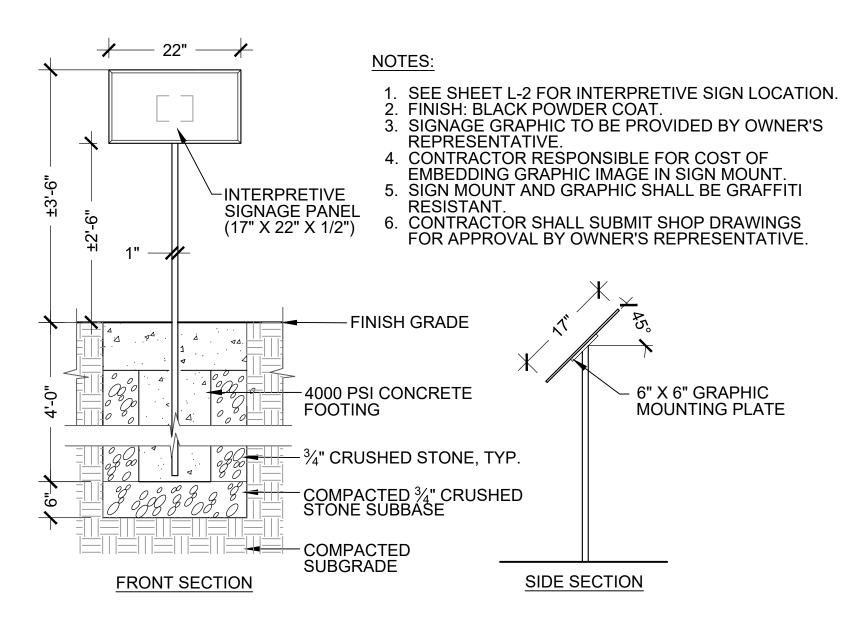
- 1. SWALE LINING SHALL BE A BIODEGRADABLE EROSION CONTROL BLANKET SUCH AS BIONET® S150BN® OR EQUAL WITH A DESIGN PERMISSIBLE SHEAR STRESS UNVEGETATED VELOCITY OF 6 FT/S.
- 2. SWALE SHALL BE VEGETATED PER PLANTING PLAN.

SWALE DESIGN SCHEDULE							
SWALE LOCATION	LENGTH (FT)	SLOPE (FT/FT)	A MIN. DEPTH (FT)	B MIN. TOP WIDTH (FT)	C BOTTOM WIDTH (FT)		
SCANNELL FIELD	230	0.005	VARIES, SEE PLAN	VARIES, SEE PLAN	1.0		

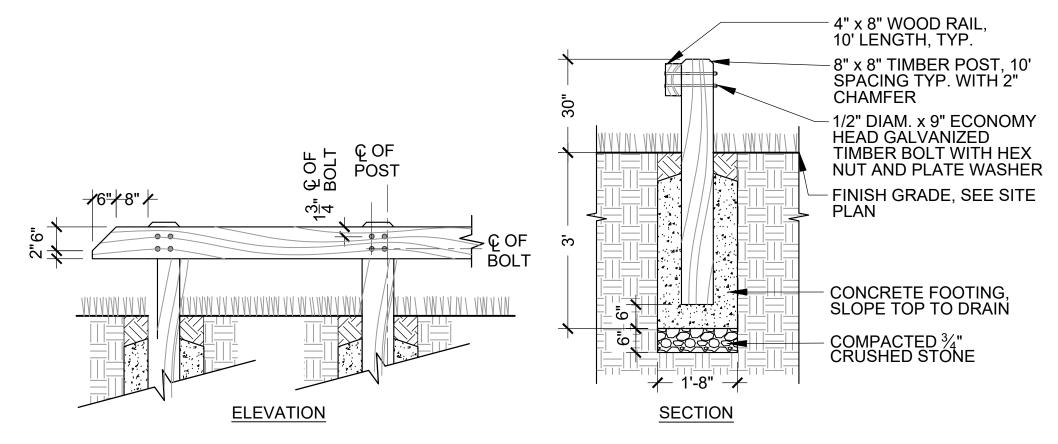
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VEGETATED SWALE

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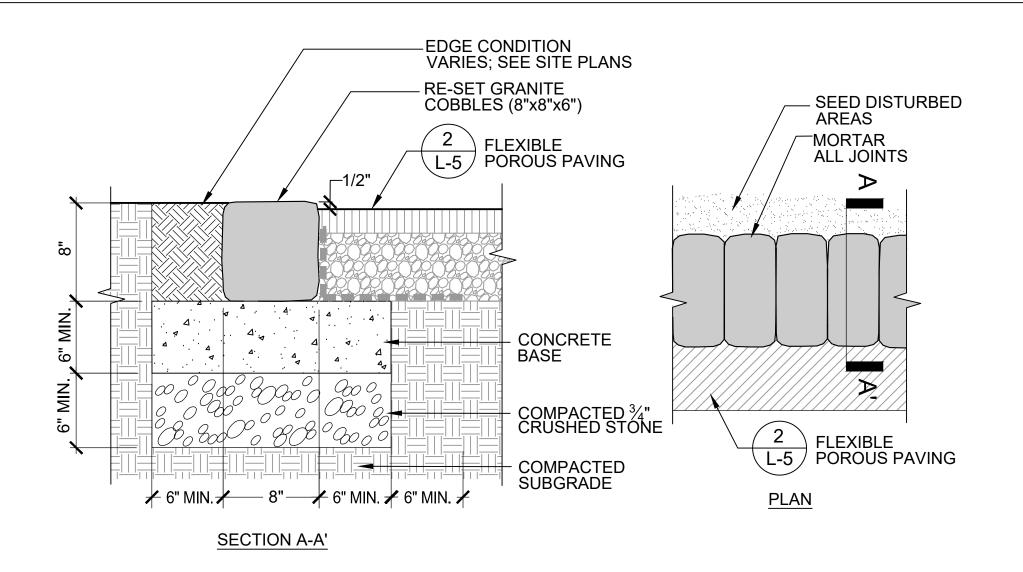


6 INTERPRETIVE SIGN STRUCTURE SCALE: NTS



TIMBER GUIDERAIL

SCALE: NTS



4 RE-SET GRANITE COBBLES SCALE: NTS

FLEXIBLE 2 POROUS 2 CONDITION VARIES; SEE PLANS

COMPACTED BACKFILL

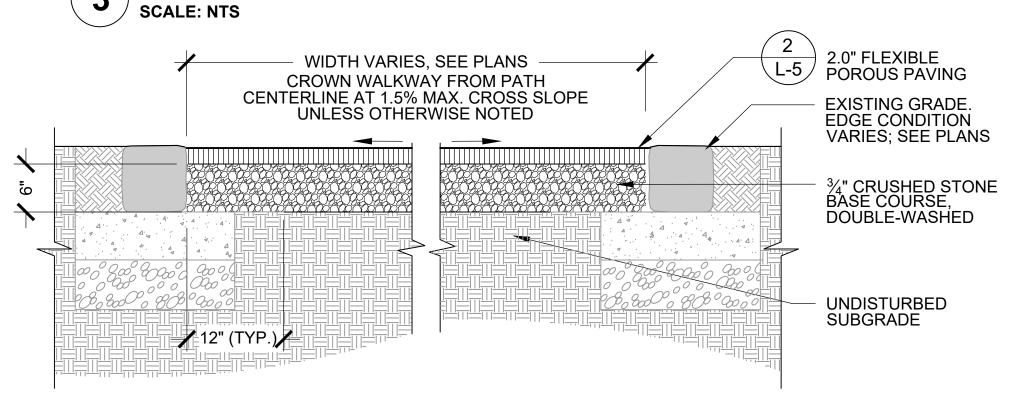
GRANITE CURB (TYPE VA-4) - ALL JOINTS SHALL BE CLEANLY MORTARED IN COLOR TO MATCH GRANITE COBBLES

CONCRETE CRADLE

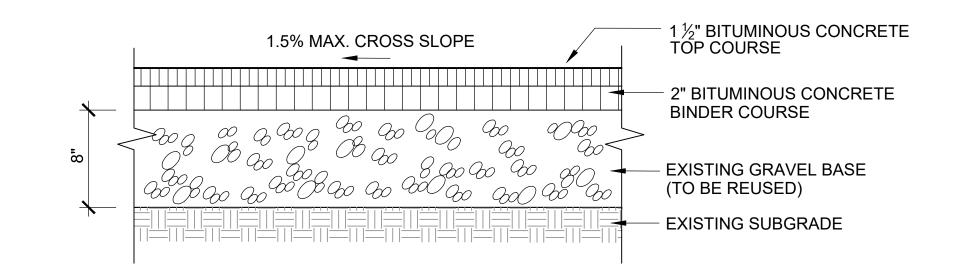
3/4" COMPACTED CRUSHED STONE BASE

COMPACTED SUBGRADE

FLUSH GRANITE CURB



FLEXIBLE POROUS PAVING SCALE: NTS



1 BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVING

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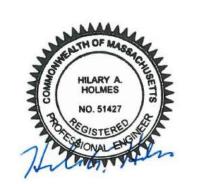
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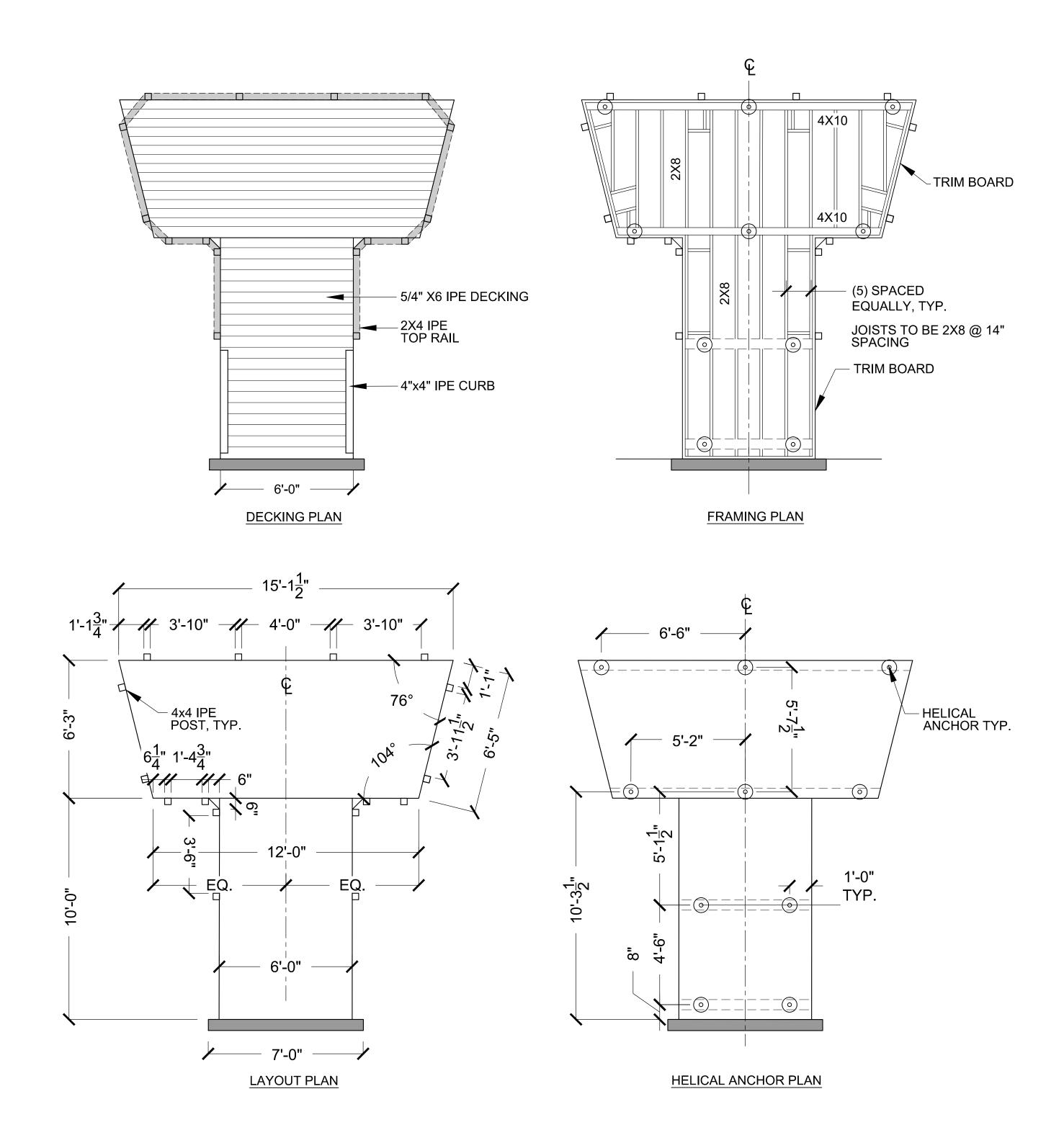
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1 TIMBER OVERLOOK (NORTH)
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GENERAL NOTES:

- CAST-IN-PLACE CONCRETE WORK SHALL CONFORM TO THE LATEST AMERICAN CONCRETE INSTITUTE (ACI) CODES AND STANDARDS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ACI 301, 315, AND 318. COLD WEATHER CONCRETING AS DEFINED BY ACI, SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ACI 306R.
- CONCRETE MIX SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO ENGINEER FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL PRIOR TO PLACEMENT. PER ACI-318, AT A MINIMUM CONCRETE SHALL MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:
 - a. MAXIMUM WATER TO CEMENT RATIO:
 - b. MINIMUM COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH: 4.500 PSI

4"x4" IPE CURB BOLTED

TO 2"X4"X6" IPE BLOCK

COUNTERSINK, TYP.

IPE CURB END TREATMENT

AND DECKING WITH \(^3\)\(^8\)\"\O SS LAG SCREW, TYP.

c. AIR CONTENT PERCENT*: 5.0 %

*ASSUMING NOMINAL MAXIMUM AGGREGATE SIZE OF 3/4". ADJUST AIR CONTENT PER ACI TABLE 4.4.1 IS VARIES

- ALL REINFORCING STEEL SHALL BE CONTINUOUS NEW DOMESTIC DEFORMED BILLET STEEL CONFORMING TO ASTM A615 GRADE 60. EMBEDDED ANCHOR BOLTS SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM F1554 GR. 36.
- GRANITE CURB SHALL CONFORM TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF MASSDOT STANDARD SPECIFICATION FOR HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES M9.04.1 TYPE VA5. EACH CURB PIECE FOR EACH ABUTMENT SHALL BE OF SUFFICIENT LENGTH TO COVER THE ENTIRE WIDTH OF THE ELEVATED WALKWAY. ONLY 1 PIECE OF GRANITE SHALL BE USED FOR EACH ELEVATED WALKWAY ABUTMENT.
- ALL TIMBER HARDWARE AND FASTENERS SHALL BE STAINLESS STEEL WHERE EXPOSED. JOIST HANGERS AND HARDWARE SHALL BE GALVANIZED. PROVIDE CONCEALED FLANGE JOIST HANGERS WHERE REQUIRED.
- PRESSURE TREATED 2X8 BLOCKING SHALL BE INSTALLED AS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLATION OF RAILING POSTS AND TYPICALLY IN A STAGGERED PATTERN AT THE MID-SPAN OF THE JOIST SPAN.

BLOCKING

- 4"x4" IPE POST

3/16"Ø GAUGE

STAINLESS STEEL

QUICK CONNECT

THREADED ROD

TURNBUCKLE AT

END POSTS

AS REQUIRED

LOCK NUT

CABLE (3" O.C. MAX.)

QUICK CONNECT LAG OR PIVOT TENSIONER

POST SECURED WITH

1 Ø STAINLESS STEEL BOLT W/ WASHER AND

- TOP RAIL (2"X4" IPE)

1"x3" IPE TOP RAIL

- 4X4 RAILING POST LOCATION MAY BE ADJUSTED AS REQUIRED TO ALLOW FOR INSTALLATION OF BLOCKING AND CONNECTION. RAILING POST SPACING SHALL NOT EXCEED 5'-0" O.C.
- 8. DESIGN SERVICE AND STRENGTH LOADING IS PROVIDED IN TABLE 1 AND TABLE 2 OF DETAIL 1 ON THIS SHEET FOR THE DESIGN OF THE HELICAL ANCHORS.
- AXIAL AND HORIZONTAL LOADING SHALL ACT CONCURRENTLY FOR EACH LOAD CASE WHERE APPLICABLE.
- 10. DECKING AND CURBS TO BE IPE AS SPECIFIED.
- 11. JOISTS AND BEAMS TO BE PRESSURE TREATED.
- 12. ALL WOOD DIMENSIONS ARE NOMINAL.
- 13. CONNECTORS TO BE GALVANIZED SIMPSON-TIE OR APPROVED EQUAL.

TABLE 1

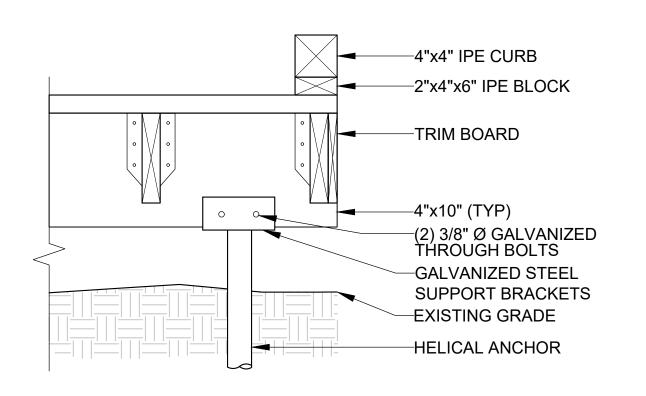
DESIGN LOADS PER HELICAL ANCHOR							
SOUTH OVERLOOK STRUCTURE							
		MAXIMUM					
		MAXIMUM	SHEAR AT				
LOAD CASE	LIMIT STATE	AXIAL LOAD*	ANCHOR				
		(KIPS)	HEAD HEAD				
			(KIPS)				
1	SERVICE	-5.5	1				
2	SERVICE	6.3	1.20				
3	STRENGTH	-7.7	-				
4	STRENGTH	10.5	2.00				

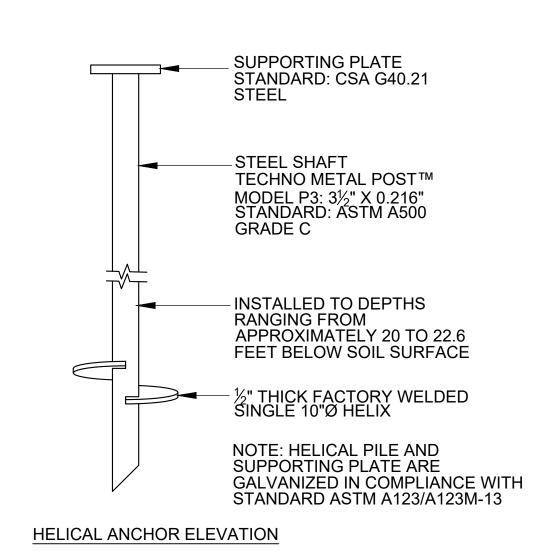
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TABLE 2

TABLE 2									
DESIGN LOADS PER HELICAL ANCHOR									
	NORTH OVERLOOK STRUCTURE								
			MAXIMUM						
		MAXIMUM	SHEAR AT						
LOAD CASE	LIMIT STATE	AXIAL LOAD*	ANCHOR						
		(KIPS)	HEAD HEAD						
			(KIPS)						
1	SERVICE	-3.7	-						
2	SERVICE	3.9	0.75						
3	STRENGTH	-4.8	-						
4	STRENGTH	6.5	1.20						

^{* -} INDICATES UPLIFT CONDITION





HELICAL ANCHOR

SKEW AS REQUIRED AT PERIMETER JOISTS AND PROVIDE CONCEALED FLANGE HANGER EQ. - EQ.-— 1"X8" IPE TRIM BOARD 5/4"x6" IPE DECKING, TYP. #10 2 1/2" STAINLESS STEEL FLAT HEAD SCREW, 18 PER BOARD, 3/JOIST 1/4" GAP BETWEEN IPE DECKING PLANKS, TYP. 4"x4" IPE CURB, FASTEN TO DECK WITH 3/8" Ø SS LAG SCREWS AT 1'-6" (MAX) SPACING 2 BOARDWALK ABUTMENT DIMENSION VARIES INSIDE FACE OF CURBS -FLUSH GRANITE CURB FLEXIBLE POROUS PAVEMENT **VARIES** PLAN

4"x4" IPE CURB, TYP.

2"X4"X6" IPE RISERS

SPACED EVERY 5 LF (SEE

IPE CURB END TREATMENT)

2"x 6" PRESSURE TREATED

2"X8" PRESSURE TREATED

SILL PLATE

JOIST, TYP.

² BOARDWALK L-7 ABUTMENT

2"X8" PRESSURE TREATED JOIST WITH

1"X8" IPE TRIM BOARD ON EXTERIOR.

BOARD WITH (2) #10 2-1/2" STAINLESS

FLATHEAD SCREWS @ 18" O.C. MAX

USE CONCEALED FLANGE JOIST HANGER ON EXTERIOR. FASTEN TRIM

48" MAX.

NOTE:

CABLE TO PASS THROUGH

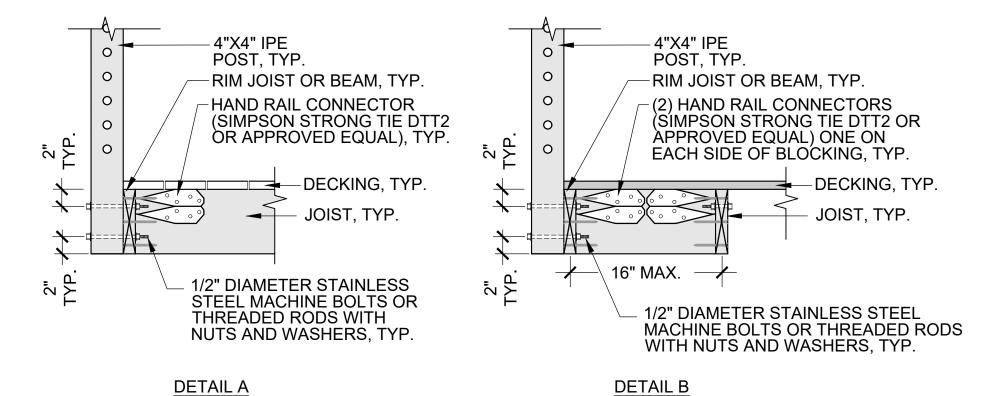
POSTS ON LONGER SPANS

RAILING

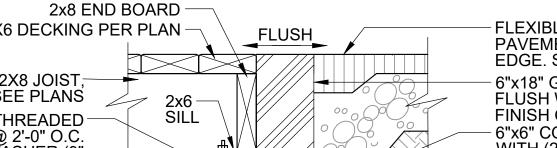
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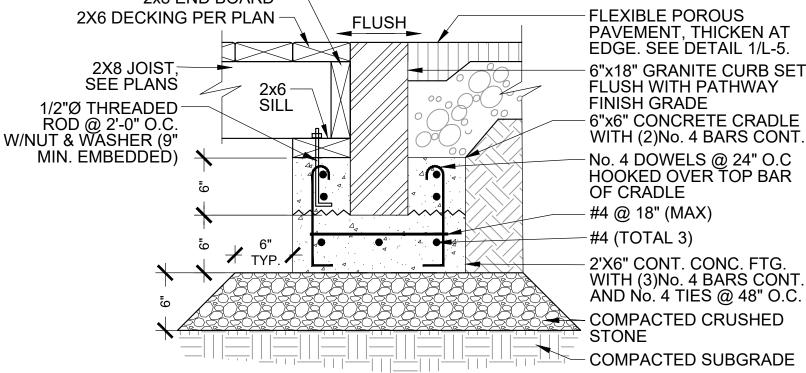
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2"x8" PRESSURE TREATED JOISTS. FASTEN TO BEAM WITH SIMPSON STRONGTIE CO. JOIST HANGERS.



4"X4" IPE POST CONNECTION **SCALE: NTS**





BOARDWALK ABUTMENT

SCALE: NTS

BOARDWALK STRUCTURE SCALE: NTS

1'-0"

TYP.

3½" TYP. 🖈 🖈

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(5) EQ. SPACING, SEE PLAN

SECTION (TYP.)

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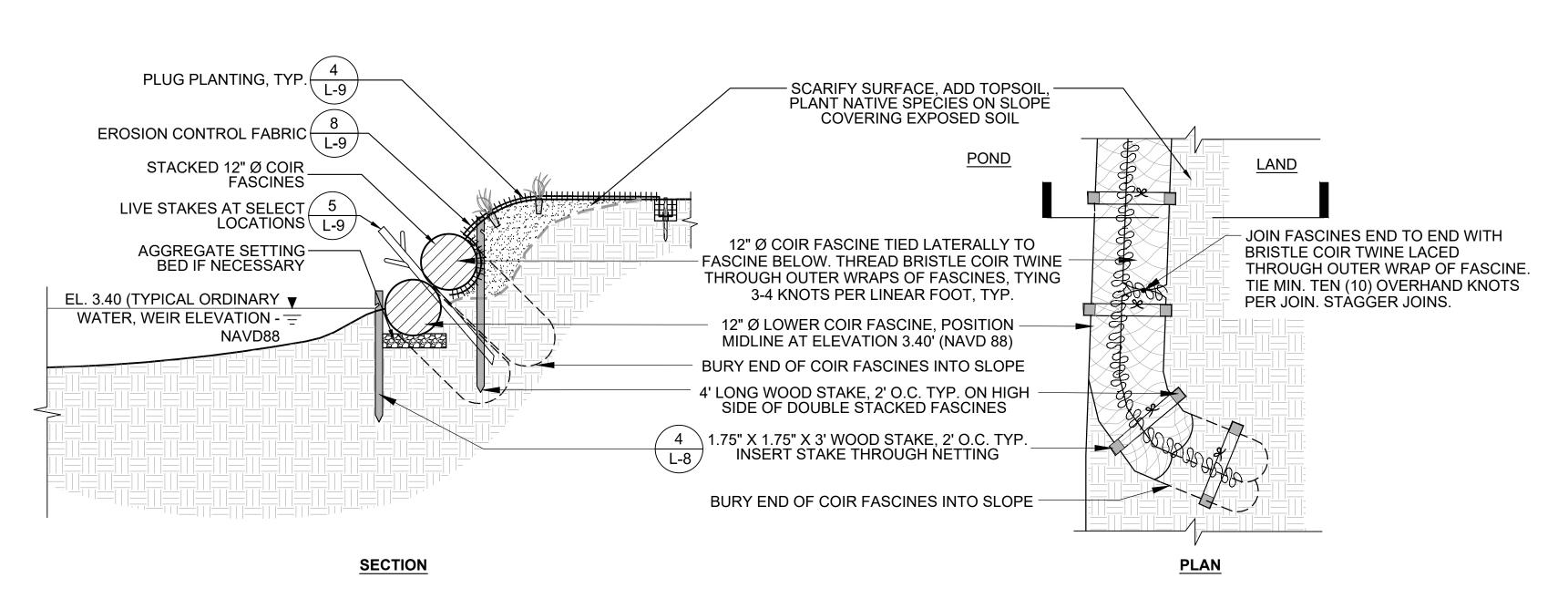
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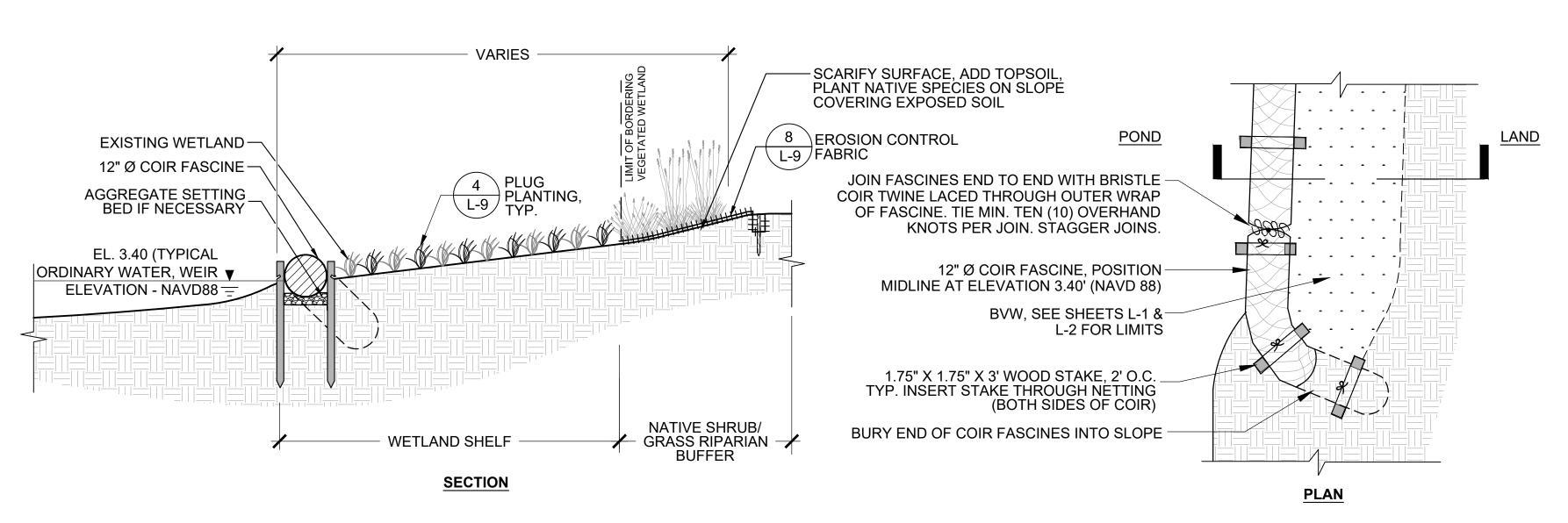
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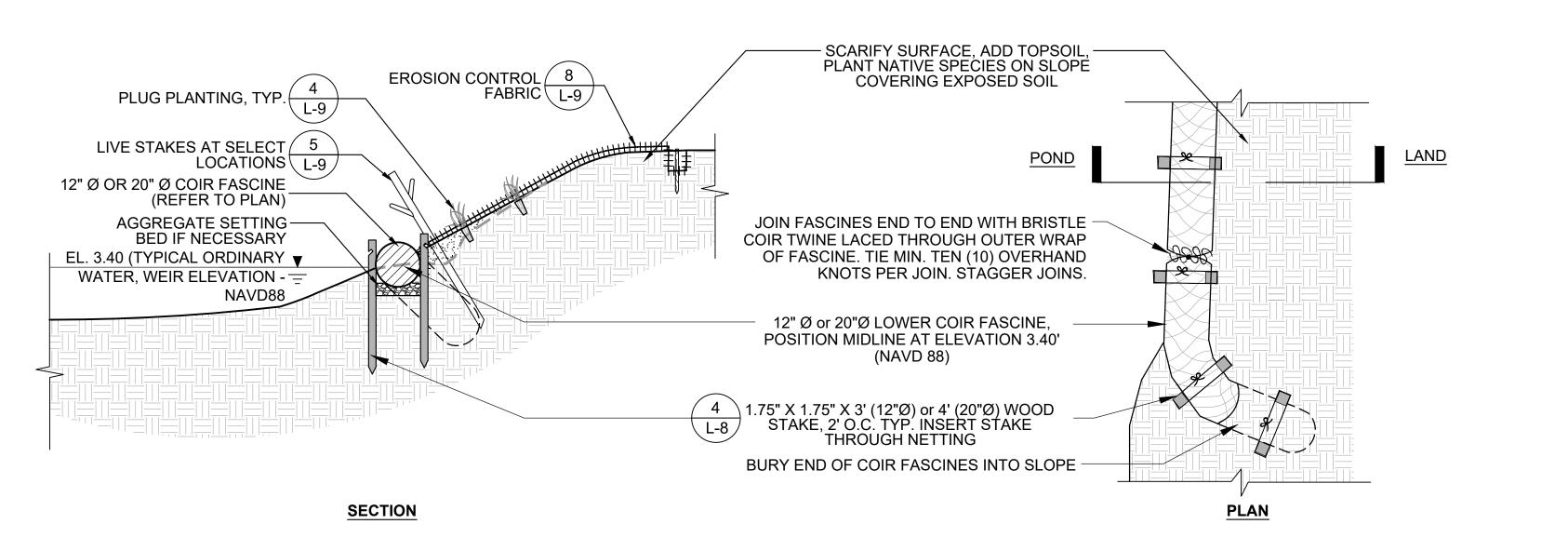
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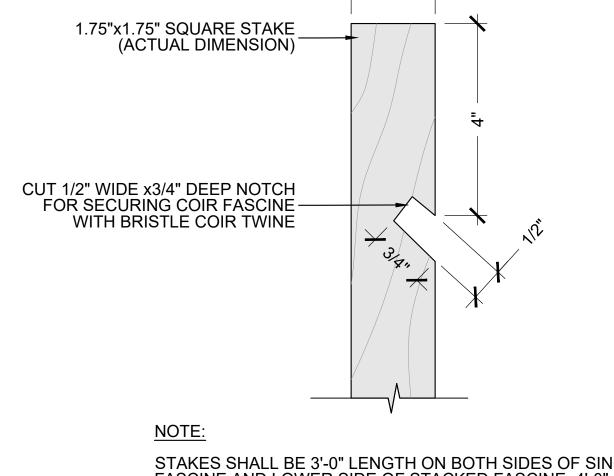
TREATMENT C: STACKED COIR FASCINE SCALE: NTS



TREATMENT B: SINGLE COIR FASCINE AT WETLAND SCALE: NTS



1 TREATMENT A: SINGLE COIR FASCINE SCALE: NTS



STAKES SHALL BE 3'-0" LENGTH ON BOTH SIDES OF SINGLE COIR FASCINE AND LOWER SIDE OF STACKED FASCINE. 4'-0" LENGTH STAKES SHALL BE USED ON THE HIGH SIDE (LAND SIDE) OF THE UPPER STACKED FASCINE.

★ 1.75" **★**

NOTCHED WOODEN STAKE (AT COIR FASCINES)
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PLANTING NOTES:

- 1. SUBSTITUTIONS OF PLANT SPECIES SHALL NOT BE PERMITTED. IN CASES WHERE INDIVIDUAL SPECIES ARE NOT COMMERCIALLY AVAILABLE, QUANTITIES WILL BE MADE UP WITH ANOTHER SPECIES IN THE PLANT SCHEDULE AFTER WRITTEN APPROVAL BY THE OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE.
- 2. ALL SPECIES SHALL BE STRAIGHT SPECIES; NO CULTIVARS SHALL BE USED, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED AND APPROVED IN ADVANCE BY OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE.
- 3. SPRING VALLEY PLANTINGS (AREA 4) ASSOCIATED WITH ADD ALTERNATE #3.
- 4. ALL PLANT MATERIAL SHALL CONFORM TO THE MINIMUM GUIDELINES ESTABLISHED FOR NURSERY STOCK PUBLISHED BY THE AMERICAN HORTICULTURE INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION. IN ADDITION, ALL NEW PLANT MATERIAL FOR THE PROJECT SHALL BE OF SPECIMEN QUALITY.
- TO ENSURE AVAILABILITY AND SECURE QUANTITIES OF SPECIFIED PLANT MATERIALS, CONTRACTOR SHALL MAKE ARRANGEMENTS WITH NURSERY(IES) AND OWNER WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS OF AWARD OF CONTRACT (SEE SPECIFICATION SECTION 02900 -PLANTING).
- CONTRACTOR SHALL SUPPLY ALL NEW PLANT MATERIAL IN QUANTITIES SUFFICIENT TO COMPLETE THE PLANTING PLAN AS SHOWN ON DRAWINGS.
- 7. NO PLANT MATERIAL SHALL BE PLANTED BEFORE ACCEPTANCE OF FINAL GRADING AND SLOPE TREATMENTS BY THE OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE.

8.	WATERING OF INSTALLED PLANTS AND SEEDED AREAS, EITHER THROUGH THE
	TEMPORARY IRRIGATION SYSTEM OR BY HAND, SHALL OCCUR WITHIN 24 HOURS OF THE
	FIRST DAY OF PLANTING OR SEEDING AND CONTINUE AS OUTLINED IN THE CONTRACT
	DOCUMENTS.

- 9. CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR REPLACING ALL DAMAGED, STOLEN, DEAD, DECLINING OR LOST MATERIAL UNTIL THE COMPLETION OF THE MAINTENANCE AND GUARANTEE PERIODS AS OUTLINED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.
- 10. ALL PLANT MATERIAL SHALL BE NURSERY GROWN. NO FIELD-COLLECTED SPECIMENS WILL BE ALLOWED.
- 11. ALL NEW PLANTS SHALL BE CONTAINERIZED SHRUBS OR HERBACEOUS PLUGS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED ON THE PLANT SCHEDULE.
- 12. ALL NEW PLANTS SHALL BE TAGGED AND APPROVED BY THE OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE AT THE NURSERY PRIOR TO DELIVERY TO THE SITE. TAGGING OF REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLES OF SHRUBS AND HERBACEOUS MATERIAL MAY BE ACCEPTABLE WITH PRIOR APPROVAL BY OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE.
- 13. ALL AREAS TO BE SEEDED SHALL RECEIVE SOIL PREPARATION AS SPECIFIED PRIOR TO SEEDING, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED ON PLAN.

WRAP TOP EDGE OF FABRIC

SECURE WITH 6" STAKES @ 6"

APPROVED EQUAL @ 24" O.C.

INTO 6"WX6"D KEY TRENCH,

O.C. AND BACKFILL, TYP.

IN FIELD, TYP.

1. SEE SHEETS L-1 & L-2 FOR AREAS TO RECEIVE EROSION CONTROL

EROSION CONTROL FABRIC

COMPOSITION OF SEED MIX.

NOTE:

2. REFER TO SPEC SECTION 02952, RESTORATION SEEDING, FOR SPECIES

6" WOOD "ECO-STAKE" OR

SEED MIX, UNDER FABRIC, SEE NOTE #2 BELOW

TOP TENSION WIRE

BLACK NYLON ZIP TIES,

STAKE: 6' HT., 1.25 LB/FT,

PLATE 2' BELOW GRADE,

FABRIC: 1 3/4" x 2 1/8" HIGH DENSITY POLYETHYLENE

(HDPE) MESH, BLACK

(TOWARD TRAIL SIDE)

BOTTOM TENSION WIRE

POST STUDS SHALL FACE OUTWARD

FINISH GRADE

ANCHOR PLATE PERPENDICULAR TO

FENCE LINE

SUBGRADE

UNDISTURBED

8 PER SECTION, TYP.

BLACK STUDDED "T" POSTS WITH ANCHOR

4'HT. AT 10' O.C.

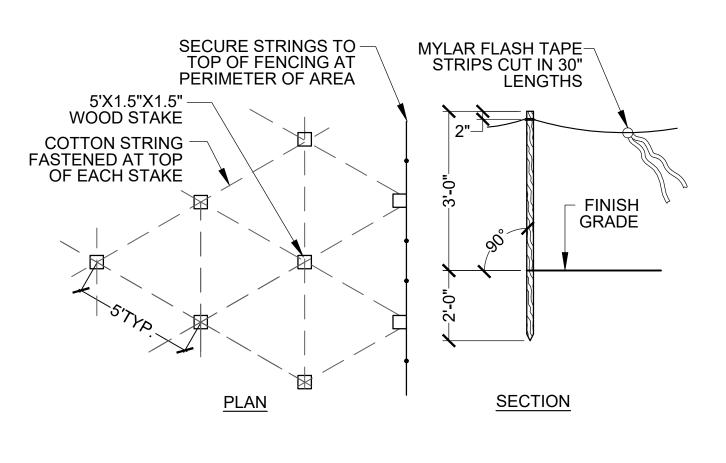
EROSION CONTROL FABRIC

FLUSH WITH FINISHED GRADE

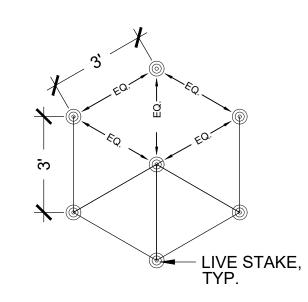
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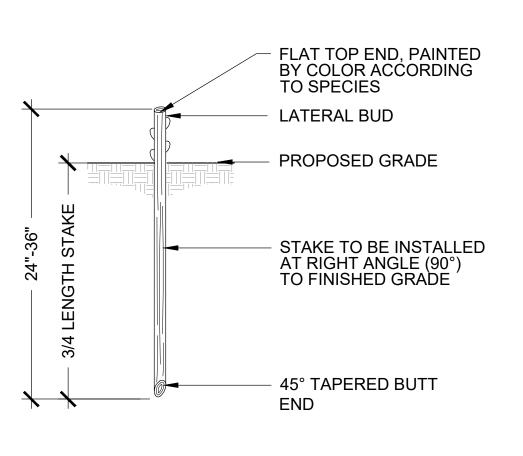
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PLAN VIEW



SECTION

1. EROSION CONTROL FABRIC TO BE INSTALLED PRIOR TO

2. CUT "X" PATTERN IN EROSION CONTROL FABRIC 4"X4"

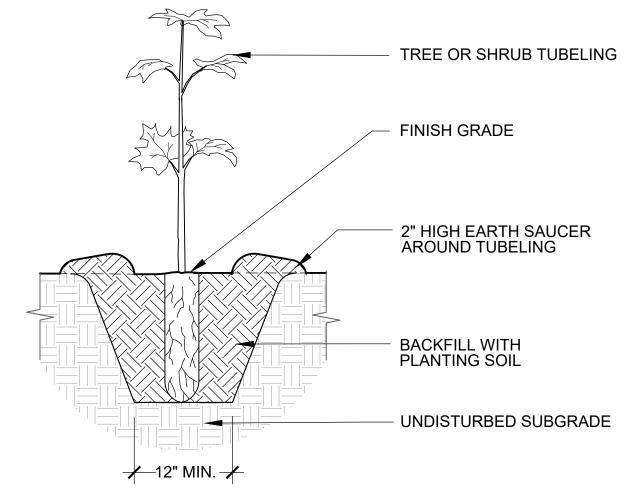
TO ALLOW FOR PLUG PLANTING.

3. SEE PLANT SCHEDULE FOR PLUG SPACING.

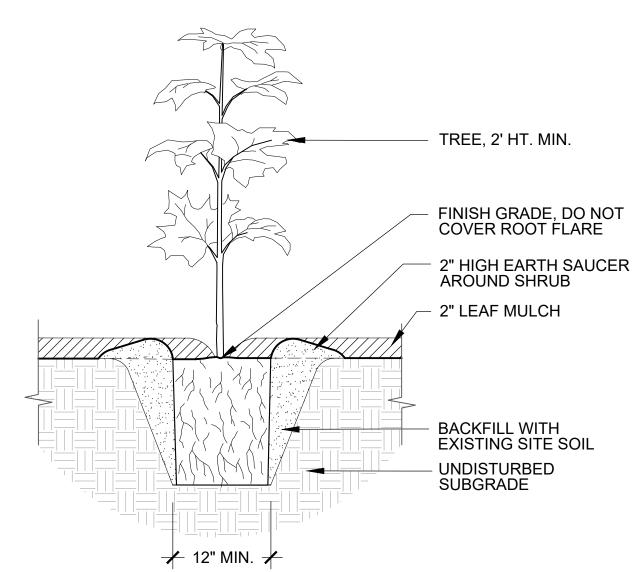
LIVE STAKE PLANTING

2" LEAF MULCH FINISH GRADE 2" HIGH EARTH SAUCER AROUND SHRUB **PLANTING SOIL** REMOVE CONTAINERS AND BUTTERFLY ANY ROOTBOUND PLANTS PRIOR TO BACKFILLING 12" MIN. UNDISTURBED SUBGRADE

SHRUB/FERN PLANTING



TUBELING PLANTING



HERBACEOUS PLANT PLUGS

FINISH GRADE WITH

MICROTOPOGRAPHY UP TO ±6"

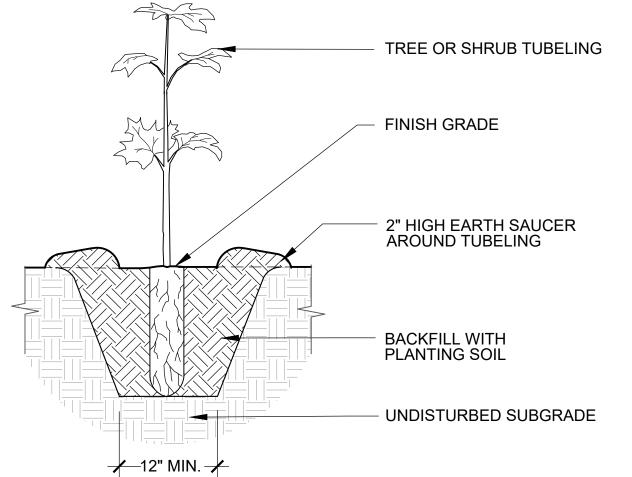
6" PLANTING SOIL

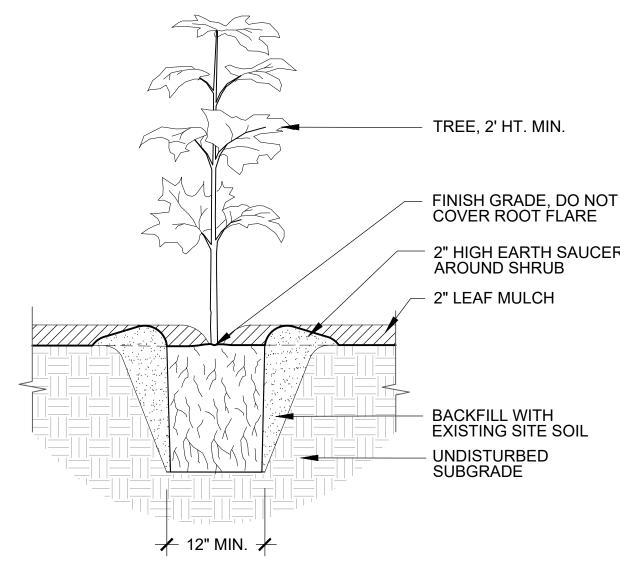
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EXISTING

SUBGRADE

SCALE: NTS





TREE PLANTING (2' HT) **SCALE: NTS**

REFER TO PLANTING Area I Area 2 Area 3 DETAIL# SIZE Common Name Spy Scannell Boys & Species (synonym) Pond Field Girls TREES/ TUBELINGS & 2' HT. CONTAINERS AR Acer rubrum red maple #2, 4' ht Benthamidia (Cornus) florida | flowering dogwood 2 #2, 4' ht BA Betula alleghaniensis yellow birch 2 #2, 4' ht 2 BL Betula lenta black (sweet) birch CC Carpinus caroliniana 2 2 #2, 4' ht American hornbeam 2 #2, 4' ht Juniperus virginiana red cedar / 2 6 3 3 #2, 4' ht I NS Nyssa sylvatica black gum OV Ostrya virginiana 2 #2, 4' ht hop-hornbeam #2, 4' ht 1 QA Quercus alba white oak red/oak 4 I QR Quercus rubra #2, 4' ht sassafras #2, 4' ht I SA Sassafras albidum 22\ | 15

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SHRUBS	S/ LIVE S	TAKES,	TUBELI	NGS & #1	CONTAIL	NERS		
36	36	\	\	#1	3	CA	Clethra alnifolia	sweet pepperbush
5	5			#1	3	CEA	Ceanothus americanus	New Jersey tea
0				#1	3	со	Cephalanthus occidentalis	buttonbush
100			100	#1	3	CAM	Corylus americana	American filbert
7	7			#1	3	IV	llex verticillata	winterberry
110	10		100	#1	3	LB	Lindera benzoin	spicebush
30	30			tubeling	2	SD	Salix discolor	pussy willow
10	10			#1	3	SLB	Spiraea alba var. latifolia	meadowsweet
70	70			#1	3	ST	Spiraea tomentosa	steeplebush
404	64	100	240	live stake	5	COA	Swida (Cornus) amomum	silky dogwood
500	0	500		live stake	5	SRA	Swida racemosa	gray dogwood
0				#1	3	VL	Viburnum lentago	nannyberry
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1272 | 232 | 600 | 440 | HERBACEOUS/ PLUGS & #I CONTAINERS (FOOTPATH RESTORATION)

75		25	50	2" plug	4	aca	Anemone canadensis	Canada anemone
50	50			2" plug	4	aq	Aquilegia canadensis	columbine
25	25			2" plug	4	bt /	Baptisia tinctoria	yellow wild indigo
600		400	200	2" plug	4	ср∉	Carex pensylvanica	Pennsylvania sedge
0				#1	3	ďρ	Dennstaedtia punctilobula	hay-scented fern
150	50	100		2" plug	4	dc	Desmodium canadense	Canadian tick trefoil
250		200	50	#1	3 /	dm	Dryopteris marginalis	marginal woodfern
100	100			2" plug	4 /	ере	Eupatorium perfoliatum	boneset
150	150			2" plug	4	ed	Eurybia (Aster) divaricata	white wood aster
300	300			2" plug	/4	jc	Luncus canadensis	Canada rush
100	100			2" plug	/ 4	jt	Juncus tenuis	Slender rush
100	100			2" plug	/ 4	lc	Lobelia cardinalis	cardinal flower
125	125			#1 /	3	os	Onoclea sensibilis	sensitive fern
20	20			#1 /	3	ос	Osmunda cinnamomea	cinnamon fern
25	25			2" plug	4	pm	Pycnanthemum muticum	short-toothed mtn-mint
0		×		2" plug	4	ss	Schizachyrium scoparium	little bluestem
0				2" plug	4	sla	Symphyotrichum laeve	smooth aster
100	100			2" plug	4	sna	Symphyotrichum nova-angliae	New England aster
0				2" plug	4	to	Tradescantia ohiensis	smooth spiderwort
200	200			2" plug	4	vh	Verbena hastata	blue vervain
75	75			2" plug	4	za	Zizea aurea	golden alexanders

2445 | 1420 | 725 | 300 HERBACEOUS/ PLUGS & #/ CONTAINERS (BVW, FASCINES, BIOBASINS)

50	50		/	2" plug	4	aca	Anemone canadensis	Canada anemone
100		100		2" plug	4	at	Asclepias tuberosa	butterfly weed
100		100		2" plug	4	ер	Echinacea purpurea	purple cone flower
625	150	475		2" plug	4	jc	Juncus canadensis	Canada rush
600	100	300	200	2" plug	4	jt	Juncus tenuis	Slender rush
250	100	/100	50	2" plug	4	lc	Lobelia cardinalis	cardinal flower
10	10	/		2" plug	4	lp	Ludwigia palustris	water primrose
320	100 /	120	100	#1	3	os	Onoclea sensibilis	sensitive fern
100		100		2" plug	4	pv	Panicum virgatum	switchgrass
100		100		2" plug	4	rf	Rudbeckia fulgida	black-eyed Susan
100		100		2" plug	4	ss	Schizachyrium scoparium	little bluestem
350	100	200	50	2" plug	4	sna	Symphyotrichum nova-angliae	New England aster
100	/	50	50	2" plug	4	vh	Verbena hastata	blue vervain
2805 /	610	1745	450		1 11	•		`
AREA T	OTALS			0				

PLANT SCHEDULE

QTY

6559 2262 3092 1205

Area I Area 2 Area 3 Spy Scannell Boys &

Pond Field Girls

PLANT ESTABLISHMENT FENCE **SCALE: NTS**

1. AT CHANGES IN DIRECTION, FENCE SHALL BE GENTLE CURVE, NOT EXCEEDING A RADIUS OF 170.

NOTES:

PLANTING.

PLUG PLANTING SCALE: NTS

SCALE: NTS

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U Job Number: H-355321 Date: July 31, 2020 Drawn By: A. Keel Designed By: H. Holmes, G. Johnson Reviewed By: H. Holmes, D.Bitsko Revisions Number: Description: Sheet Title:

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Recreation Commission

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Arlington, MA 02474

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PLANTING DETAILS

& PLANT SCHEDULE

Sheet No:



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A. General Information

Please note: this form has been modified with added space to accommodate the Registry of Deeds Requirements

Important: When filling out forms on the computer, use only the tab key to move your cursor - do not use the return key.





1. From:	Arlington			
	Conservation Commission	n		
This issuance is for (check one):		a. Order of Conditions	b. Amended C	Order of Conditions

3. To: Applicant:

Jon	Marshall	
a. First Name	b. Last Name	
Arlington Park and Rec. Comm'n		
c. Organization		
422 Summer Street		
d. Mailing Address		
Arlington	MA	02474
e. City/Town	f. State	g. Zip Code
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4. Property Owner (if different from applicant):

Jon	Marshall			
a. First Name	b. Last Name			
Town of Arlington Parks				
c. Organization				
730 Massachusetts Ave				
d. Mailing Address				
Arlington	MA	02476		
e. City/Town	f. State	g. Zip Code		

Marshall

5. Project Location:

Spy Pond	Arlington			
a. Street Address	b. City/Town	b. City/Town		
ID: 9-3-1, 9-3-3, 9-4-1, 121-6-2				
c. Assessors Map/Plat Number	d. Parcel/Lot N	umber		
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Latitude and Longitude, if known:	d. Latitude	e. Longitude	e. Longitude	



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A.	General Information	n (cont	i.)		
6.	Property recorded at the Reone parcel): Middlesex	gistry of	Deeds for (attach additiona	l inf	ormation if more than
	a. County		b. Certificate Numb	er (if	registered land)
	5432; 3508		478; 479	,	
	c. Book		d. Page		
	July 20, 2018		August 16, 2018		September 5, 2018
7.	Dates: a. Date Notice of Inte	ent Filed	b. Date Public Hearing Clo	sed	c. Date of Issuance
8.	Final Approved Plans and C as needed):				
	Spy Pond Edge & Erosion (L-4, L-5, L-6, L-7, L-8	Control P			
	Hatch Associates Consultar	Hilary Homes, F		& Ralph Bitsko, RLA	
	b. Prepared By				by
	July 18, 2018		various		
	d. Final Revision Date		e. Scale		
	f. Additional Plan or Document Titl	е			g. Date
B	Findings				
	•				
1.	Findings pursuant to the Ma	assachus	etts Wetlands Protection A	ct:	
	Following the review of the provided in this application the areas in which work is protection Act (the Act). Ch	and pres proposed	ented at the public hearing, is significant to the following	this	s Commission finds that terests of the Wetlands
a.	□ Public Water Supply	b. 🗌	Land Containing Shellfish	C.	
d.		e. 🛚	Fisheries	f.	
g.	⊠ Groundwater Supply	h. 🛚	Storm Damage Prevention	۱i.	
2.	This Commission hereby fin	ds the pro	oject, as proposed, is: (check	one	e of the following boxes)
Αŗ	proved subject to:				
a.	standards set forth in the way be performed in accordance General Conditions, and at that the following condition	vetlands re with the ny other something of the ny other something of the vetter the necessity of the vetter of	re necessary in accordance regulations. This Commission Notice of Intent reference special conditions attached or differ from the plans, special for the seconditions	on c d ak to tl ecifi	orders that all work shall bove, the following his Order. To the extent cations, or other



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B. Findings (cont.)

Denied because:

- c.
 I the information submitted by the applicant is not sufficient to describe the site, the work, or the effect of the work on the interests identified in the Wetlands Protection Act. Therefore, work on this project may not go forward unless and until a revised Notice of Intent is submitted which provides sufficient information and includes measures which are adequate to protect the Act's interests, and a final Order of Conditions is issued. A description of the specific information which is lacking and why it is necessary is attached to this Order as per 310 CMR 10.05(6)(c).
- 3. Buffer Zone Impacts: Shortest distance between limit of project disturbance and the wetland resource area specified in 310 CMR 10.02(1)(a)

a. linear feet

Inland Resource Area Impacts: Check all that apply below. (For Approvals Only)

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Re	source Area	Proposed Alteration 1500	Permitted Alteration 1455	Proposed Replacement 1500	Permitted Replacement 1455
4.	⊠ Bank	a. linear feet	b. linear feet	c. linear feet	d. linear feet
5.	□ Bordering	85	85	85	85
	Vegetated Wetland	a. square feet	b. square feet	c. square feet	d. square feet
6.		290	290	0	0
	Waterbodies and	a. square feet	b. square feet	c. square feet	d. square feet
	Waterways	0	0		
		e. c/y dredged	f. c/y dredged		
7.	⊠ Bordering Land	17,300	17,300	17,300	17,300
	Subject to Flooding	a. square feet	b. square feet	c. square feet	d. square feet
	Cubic Feet Flood Storage	Lis foot	f. cubic feet	g. cubic feet	h, cubic feet
		e. cubic feet	i, cubic leet	g. cubic leet	II. Cubic leet
8.	☐ Isolated Land Subject to Flooding	a. square feet	b. square feet		
	Cubic Feet Flood Storage	c. cubic feet	d. cubic feet	e. cubic feet	f. cubic feet
9.	☐ Riverfront Area	a. total sq. feet	b. total sq. feet		
	Sq ft within 100 ft	c. square feet	d. square feet	e. square feet	f. square feet
	Sq ft between 100- 200 ft	g. square feet	h. square feet	i. square feet	j. square feet



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Coa	astal Resource Area Impac	cts: Check all tha	at apply below.	(For Approvals C	Only)
		Proposed Alteration	Permitted Alteration	Proposed Replacement	Permitted Replacement
10.	☐ Designated Port Areas	Indicate size ur	nder Land Unde	er the Ocean, belo	DW .
11.	Land Under the Ocean	a. square feet	b. square feet		
	•	c. c/y dredged	d. c/y dredged		
12.	☐ Barrier Beaches	Indicate size ur below	nder Coastal Be	eaches and/or Co	
13.	Coastal Beaches	foot	b. square feet	cu yd c. nourishment	d. nourishment
		a. square feet	b. square reet	cu yd	cu yd
14.	Coastal Dunes	a. square feet	b. square feet	c. nourishment	d. nourishment
15.	☐ Coastal Banks	a. linear feet	b. linear feet		
16.	☐ Rocky Intertidal Shores	a. square feet	b. square feet		
17.	☐ Salt Marshes	a. square feet	b. square feet	c. square feet	d. square feet
18.	☐ Land Under Salt Ponds	a. square feet	b. square feet		
		c. c/y dredged	d. c/y dredged		
19.	☐ Land Containing Shellfish	a. square feet	b. square feet	c. square feet	d. square feet
20.	Fish Runs		d/or inland Land	anks, Inland Banl d Under Waterbo	
		a. c/y dredged	b. c/y dredged		
21.	☐ Land Subject to	a, o, y a.ougou			
	Coastal Storm Flowage	a. square feet	b. square feet		
	, lowago				
22.	☐ Riverfront Area	a. total sq. feet	b. total sq. feet		
	Sq ft within 100 ft	c. square feet	d. square feet	e. square feet	f. square feet
	Sq ft between 100- 200 ft	g, square feet	h. square feet	i. square feet	j. square feet



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B. Findings (cont.)

* #23. If the project is for	23.
the purpose of	
restoring or	
enhancing a	
wetland	
resource area	24.
in addition to	
the square	
footage that	
has been	C
entered in	•
Section B.5.c	
(BVW) or	Th
B.17.c (Salt	
Marsh) above,	1.
please enter	
the additional	2
amount here.	۷.

23.	Restoration/Enhancement *:	
	a. square feet of BVW	b. square feet of salt marsh
24.	Stream Crossing(s):	
	a number of new stream crossings	b. number of replacement stream crossings

C. General Conditions Under Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act

The following conditions are only applicable to Approved projects.

- 1. Failure to comply with all conditions stated herein, and with all related statutes and other regulatory measures, shall be deemed cause to revoke or modify this Order.
- 2. The Order does not grant any property rights or any exclusive privileges; it does not authorize any injury to private property or invasion of private rights.
- 3. This Order does not relieve the permittee or any other person of the necessity of complying with all other applicable federal, state, or local statutes, ordinances, bylaws, or regulations.
- 4. The work authorized hereunder shall be completed within three years from the date of this Order unless either of the following apply:
 - a. The work is a maintenance dredging project as provided for in the Act; or
 - b. The time for completion has been extended to a specified date more than three years, but less than five years, from the date of issuance. If this Order is intended to be valid for more than three years, the extension date and the special circumstances warranting the extended time period are set forth as a special condition in this Order.
 - c. If the work is for a Test Project, this Order of Conditions shall be valid for no more than one year.
- 5. This Order may be extended by the issuing authority for one or more periods of up to three years each upon application to the issuing authority at least 30 days prior to the expiration date of the Order. An Order of Conditions for a Test Project may be extended for one additional year only upon written application by the applicant, subject to the provisions of 310 CMR 10.05(11)(f).
- 6. If this Order constitutes an Amended Order of Conditions, this Amended Order of Conditions does not extend the issuance date of the original Final Order of Conditions and the Order will expire on _____ unless extended in writing by the Department.
- 7. Any fill used in connection with this project shall be clean fill. Any fill shall contain no trash, refuse, rubbish, or debris, including but not limited to lumber, bricks, plaster, wire, lath, paper, cardboard, pipe, tires, ashes, refrigerators, motor vehicles, or parts of any of the foregoing.



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- 8. This Order is not final until all administrative appeal periods from this Order have elapsed, or if such an appeal has been taken, until all proceedings before the Department have been completed.
- 9. No work shall be undertaken until the Order has become final and then has been recorded in the Registry of Deeds or the Land Court for the district in which the land is located, within the chain of title of the affected property. In the case of recorded land, the Final Order shall also be noted in the Registry's Grantor Index under the name of the owner of the land upon which the proposed work is to be done. In the case of the registered land, the Final Order shall also be noted on the Land Court Certificate of Title of the owner of the land upon which the proposed work is done. The recording information shall be submitted to the Conservation Commission on the form at the end of this Order, which form must be stamped by the Registry of Deeds, prior to the commencement of work.
- 10. A sign shall be displayed at the site not less then two square feet or more than three square feet in size bearing the words,

"Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection"	[or,	"MassDEP"
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- 11. Where the Department of Environmental Protection is requested to issue a Superseding Order, the Conservation Commission shall be a party to all agency proceedings and hearings before MassDEP.
- 12. Upon completion of the work described herein, the applicant shall submit a Request for Certificate of Compliance (WPA Form 8A) to the Conservation Commission.
- 13. The work shall conform to the plans and special conditions referenced in this order.
- 14. Any change to the plans identified in Condition #13 above shall require the applicant to inquire of the Conservation Commission in writing whether the change is significant enough to require the filing of a new Notice of Intent.
- 15. The Agent or members of the Conservation Commission and the Department of Environmental Protection shall have the right to enter and inspect the area subject to this Order at reasonable hours to evaluate compliance with the conditions stated in this Order, and may require the submittal of any data deemed necessary by the Conservation Commission or Department for that evaluation.
- 16. This Order of Conditions shall apply to any successor in interest or successor in control of the property subject to this Order and to any contractor or other person performing work conditioned by this Order.



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- 17. Prior to the start of work, and if the project involves work adjacent to a Bordering Vegetated Wetland, the boundary of the wetland in the vicinity of the proposed work area shall be marked by wooden stakes or flagging. Once in place, the wetland boundary markers shall be maintained until a Certificate of Compliance has been issued by the Conservation Commission.
- 18. All sedimentation barriers shall be maintained in good repair until all disturbed areas have been fully stabilized with vegetation or other means. At no time shall sediments be deposited in a wetland or water body. During construction, the applicant or his/her designee shall inspect the erosion controls on a daily basis and shall remove accumulated sediments as needed. The applicant shall immediately control any erosion problems that occur at the site and shall also immediately notify the Conservation Commission, which reserves the right to require additional erosion and/or damage prevention controls it may deem necessary. Sedimentation barriers shall serve as the limit of work unless another limit of work line has been approved by this Order.

19.	The wo	rk associated with this Order (the "Project")
	(1)	is subject to the Massachusetts Stormwater Standards
	(2)	is NOT subject to the Massachusetts Stormwater Standards

If the work is subject to the Stormwater Standards, then the project is subject to the following conditions:

- a) All work, including site preparation, land disturbance, construction and redevelopment, shall be implemented in accordance with the construction period pollution prevention and erosion and sedimentation control plan and, if applicable, the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan required by the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System Construction General Permit as required by Stormwater Condition 8. Construction period erosion, sedimentation and pollution control measures and best management practices (BMPs) shall remain in place until the site is fully stabilized.
- b) No stormwater runoff may be discharged to the post-construction stormwater BMPs unless and until a Registered Professional Engineer provides a Certification that:

 i. all construction period BMPs have been removed or will be removed by a date certain specified in the Certification. For any construction period BMPs intended to be converted to post construction operation for stormwater attenuation, recharge, and/or treatment, the conversion is allowed by the MassDEP Stormwater Handbook BMP specifications and that the BMP has been properly cleaned or prepared for post construction operation, including removal of all construction period sediment trapped in inlet and outlet control structures; ii. as-built final construction BMP plans are included, signed and stamped by a Registered Professional Engineer, certifying the site is fully stabilized; iii. any illicit discharges to the stormwater management system have been removed, as per the requirements of Stormwater Standard 10;



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iv. all post-construction stormwater BMPs are installed in accordance with the plans (including all planting plans) approved by the issuing authority, and have been inspected to ensure that they are not damaged and that they are in proper working condition;

v. any vegetation associated with post-construction BMPs is suitably established to withstand erosion.

- c) The landowner is responsible for BMP maintenance until the issuing authority is notified that another party has legally assumed responsibility for BMP maintenance. Prior to requesting a Certificate of Compliance, or Partial Certificate of Compliance, the responsible party (defined in General Condition 18(e)) shall execute and submit to the issuing authority an Operation and Maintenance Compliance Statement ("O&M Statement) for the Stormwater BMPs identifying the party responsible for implementing the stormwater BMP Operation and Maintenance Plan ("O&M Plan") and certifying the following:
 - i.) the O&M Plan is complete and will be implemented upon receipt of the Certificate of Compliance, and
 - ii.) the future responsible parties shall be notified in writing of their ongoing legal responsibility to operate and maintain the stormwater management BMPs and implement the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan.
- d) Post-construction pollution prevention and source control shall be implemented in accordance with the long-term pollution prevention plan section of the approved Stormwater Report and, if applicable, the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan required by the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System Multi-Sector General Permit.
- e) Unless and until another party accepts responsibility, the landowner, or owner of any drainage easement, assumes responsibility for maintaining each BMP. To overcome this presumption, the landowner of the property must submit to the issuing authority a legally binding agreement of record, acceptable to the issuing authority, evidencing that another entity has accepted responsibility for maintaining the BMP, and that the proposed responsible party shall be treated as a permittee for purposes of implementing the requirements of Conditions 18(f) through 18(k) with respect to that BMP. Any failure of the proposed responsible party to implement the requirements of Conditions 18(f) through 18(k) with respect to that BMP shall be a violation of the Order of Conditions or Certificate of Compliance. In the case of stormwater BMPs that are serving more than one lot, the legally binding agreement shall also identify the lots that will be serviced by the stormwater BMPs. A plan and easement deed that grants the responsible party access to perform the required operation and maintenance must be submitted along with the legally binding agreement.
- f) The responsible party shall operate and maintain all stormwater BMPs in accordance with the design plans, the O&M Plan, and the requirements of the Massachusetts Stormwater Handbook.



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g) The responsible party shall:

- 1. Maintain an operation and maintenance log for the last three (3) consecutive calendar years of inspections, repairs, maintenance and/or replacement of the stormwater management system or any part thereof, and disposal (for disposal the log shall indicate the type of material and the disposal location);
- 2. Make the maintenance log available to MassDEP and the Conservation Commission ("Commission") upon request; and
- 3. Allow members and agents of the MassDEP and the Commission to enter and inspect the site to evaluate and ensure that the responsible party is in compliance with the requirements for each BMP established in the O&M Plan approved by the issuing authority.
- h) All sediment or other contaminants removed from stormwater BMPs shall be disposed of in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations.
- i) Illicit discharges to the stormwater management system as defined in 310 CMR 10.04 are prohibited.
- j) The stormwater management system approved in the Order of Conditions shall not be changed without the prior written approval of the issuing authority.
- k) Areas designated as qualifying pervious areas for the purpose of the Low Impact Site Design Credit (as defined in the MassDEP Stormwater Handbook, Volume 3, Chapter 1, Low Impact Development Site Design Credits) shall not be altered without the prior written approval of the issuing authority.
- I) Access for maintenance, repair, and/or replacement of BMPs shall not be withheld. Any fencing constructed around stormwater BMPs shall include access gates and shall be at least six inches above grade to allow for wildlife passage.

Special Conditions (if you need more space for additional conditions, please attach a text document):

See attached Additional Special Conditions.

20. For Test Projects subject to 310 CMR 10.05(11), the applicant shall also implement the monitoring plan and the restoration plan submitted with the Notice of Intent. If the conservation commission or Department determines that the Test Project threatens the public health, safety or the environment, the applicant shall implement the removal plan submitted with the Notice of Intent or modify the project as directed by the conservation commission or the Department.



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D. Findings Under Municipal Wetlands Bylaw or Ordinance

	ls a	municipal wetlands bylaw or ordinance applicable?	Yes	∐ No
<u>.</u> .	The	Arlington here Conservation Commission	by finds (c	heck one that applies):
	a.	that the proposed work cannot be conditioned to municipal ordinance or bylaw, specifically:	meet the s	tandards set forth in a
		1. Municipal Ordinance or Bylaw		2. Citation
		Therefore, work on this project may not go forward u Intent is submitted which provides measures which a standards, and a final Order of Conditions is issued.	nless and are adequa	until a revised Notice of te to meet these
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		Arlington Wetlands Protection Bylaw 1. Municipal Ordinance or Bylaw		Title V, Art.
3.	con	e Commission orders that all work shall be performed iditions and with the Notice of Intent referenced above iditions modify or differ from the plans, specifications, Notice of Intent, the conditions shall control.	e. To the e	xtent that the following
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E. Signatures

This Order is valid for three years, unless otherwise specified as a special condition pursuant to General Conditions #4, from the date of issuance.

Please indicate the number of members who will sign this form.

This Order must be signed by a majority of the Conservation Commission.

1. Date of Issuance
2. Number of Signers

The Order must be mailed by certified mail (return receipt requested) or hand delivered to the applicant. A copy also must be mailed or hand delivered at the same time to the appropriate Department of Environmental Protection Regional Office, if not filing electronically, and the property ewner, if different from applicant.

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F. Appeals

The applicant, the owner, any person aggrieved by this Order, any owner of land abutting the land subject to this Order, or any ten residents of the city or town in which such land is located, are hereby notified of their right to request the appropriate MassDEP Regional Office to issue a Superseding Order of Conditions. The request must be made by certified mail or hand delivery to the Department, with the appropriate filing fee and a completed Request for Departmental Action Fee Transmittal Form, as provided in 310 CMR 10.03(7) within ten business days from the date of issuance of this Order. A copy of the request shall at the same time be sent by certified mail or hand delivery to the Conservation Commission and to the applicant, if he/she is not the appellant.

Any appellants seeking to appeal the Department's Superseding Order associated with this appeal will be required to demonstrate prior participation in the review of this project. Previous participation in the permit proceeding means the submission of written information to the Conservation Commission prior to the close of the public hearing, requesting a Superseding Order, or providing written information to the Department prior to issuance of a Superseding Order.

The request shall state clearly and concisely the objections to the Order which is being appealed and how the Order does not contribute to the protection of the interests identified in the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (M.G.L. c. 131, § 40), and is inconsistent with the wetlands regulations (310 CMR 10.00). To the extent that the Order is based on a municipal ordinance or bylaw, and not on the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act or regulations, the Department has no appellate jurisdiction.



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G. Recording Information

Prior to commencement of work, this Order of Conditions must be recorded in the Registry of Deeds or the Land Court for the district in which the land is located, within the chain of title of the affected property. In the case of recorded land, the Final Order shall also be noted in the Registry's Grantor Index under the name of the owner of the land subject to the Order. In the case of registered land, this Order shall also be noted on the Land Court Certificate of Title of the owner of the land subject to the Order of Conditions. The recording information on this page shall be submitted to the Conservation Commission listed below.

Conservation Commission	AND	
Detach on dotted line, have stamped by the Commission.		ubmit to the Conservation
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Conservation Commission		
Please be advised that the Order of Condition	ons for the Project at:	
Project Location	MassDEP File Nur	nber
Has been recorded at the Registry of Deeds	s of:	
County	Book	Page
for: Property Owner		
and has been noted in the chain of title of the	ne affected property in:	
Book	Page	
In accordance with the Order of Conditions	issued on:	
Date		
If recorded land, the instrument number ide	ntifying this transaction	is:
Instrument Number		
If registered land, the document number ide	entifying this transaction	is:
Document Number		
Signature of Applicant		



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Request for Departmental Action Fee Transmittal Form

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DEP File Number:	

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Α.	Request	Information

1. I	_ocation of Project		
	a. Street Address	b. City/Town, Zip	
	c. Check number	d. Fee amount	
2.	Person or party making request (if appropriate, nar	me the citizen group's represe	ntative):
	Name		
	Mailing Address		
	City/Town	State	Zip Code
	Phone Number	Fax Number (if app	licable)
3.	Applicant (as shown on Determination of Applicable (Form 4B), Order of Conditions (Form 5), Restorat Non-Significance (Form 6)):	lity (Form 2), Order of Resourd ion Order of Conditions (Form	ce Area Delineation 5A), or Notice of
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B. Instructions

1. When the Departmental action request is for (check one): Superseding Order of Conditions – Fee: \$120.00 (single family house projects) or \$245 (all other projects) ☐ Superseding Determination of Applicability – Fee: \$120 ☐ Superseding Order of Resource Area Delineation – Fee: \$120

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B. Instructions (cont.)

Send this form and check or money order, payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to:

Department of Environmental Protection Box 4062 Boston, MA 02211

- 2. On a separate sheet attached to this form, state clearly and concisely the objections to the Determination or Order which is being appealed. To the extent that the Determination or Order is based on a municipal bylaw, and not on the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act or regulations, the Department has no appellate jurisdiction.
- 3. Send a **copy** of this form and a **copy** of the check or money order with the Request for a Superseding Determination or Order by certified mail or hand delivery to the appropriate DEP Regional Office (see http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/massdep/about/contacts/).
- 4. A copy of the request shall at the same time be sent by certified mail or hand delivery to the Conservation Commission and to the applicant, if he/she is not the appellant.

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DOCUMENTS REVIEWED

- 1. Notice of Intent for Ecological Restoration Limited Project - Spy Pond Erosion and Edge Control Project, by Hatch Associates Consultants, Inc., July 18, 2018, with attachments.
- 2. Plans titled "Spy Pond Edge & Erosion Control Project Notice of Intent Submittal" July 18, 2018, stamped by Hilary A. Holmes, Professional Engineer, and Ralph A. Bitsko, Registered Landscape Architect. Sheets: Cover Sheet, EC-1, EC-2, SP-1, SP-2, L-1, L-2, L-3, L-4, L-5, L-6, L-7, L-8.
- NHESP comments from Misty-Anne Marold, e-mail dated August 2, 2018, to Duke 3. Bitsko.

PROCEDURAL SUMMARY

The Conservation Commission held a public hearing on the Notice of Intent on August 2, 2018 and August 16, 2018. The Commission closed the hearing on August 16, 2018, deliberated and voted 5-0 (2 members absent) to approve the Project with conditions under the Wetlands Protection Act (the "Act") and voted 5-0 to approve the Project with conditions under the Arlington Wetlands Protection Bylaw (the "Bylaw").

FINDINGS OF FACT AND LAW UNDER ARLINGTON WETLANDS PROTECTION BYLAW AND WETLANDS PROTECTION ACT

- A. The Project as approved involves measures to control erosion and stabilize the bank in four areas of Spy Pond: Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, Boys and Girls Club, and Spring Valley St.
- B. The shoreline has diverse vegetation, in some areas there is more forestry, in others more invasives. The rare Engelmann's umbrella sedge is present (marked in yellow on the site plans). Scannell Field includes Bank resource and consists primarily of Norway Maple. Spring Valley Street is similar in its conditions to Scannell Field. The edge of the pavement at Spring Valley Street has collapsed into the pond along with a tree, due to the erosion. There is no BVW, just Bank in this area. The Boys and Girls Club is primarily Bank with BVW. There will be 1,445 linear feet of Bank being restored (55 more was proposed between the boat ramp and North Beach but abandoned following NHESP comments) and 1,400 of BVW temporary altered for the two rock apron outfall repairs, and replaced in kind.
- C. Bio-engineered methods using coir fascines, invasive species management, and green infrastructure for stormwater management will be utilized. Two timber overlooks are proposed to restore the Bank by channeling people to areas with less sensitive habitat. The overlooks are currently stone and do not jut into the water, the proposed improvements jut about 6.5-7 feet out into the water.

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- D. There are areas where new planting beds will go in. There will be coir fascines with planting plugs. There will be no work in the BVW, just along shoreline within Spy Pond Park.
- E. The Applicant eliminated the coir fascine in the area between North Beach and the boat ramp to comply with their NHESP's recommendations and will provide revised project plan sheets to reflect that change.
- F. At Scannell Field a shallow grass swale is proposed to help channel the runoff from the field and capture it before it runs to the shoreline. A new chain link fenced to replace the old one is also proposed and the bottom of the fence will be raised 4.0 to 3.5 inches from the existing grade to allow for wildlife passage. The current dirt path is proposed to extend from Linwood Circle down to the shoreline and along the shoreline out to a timber overlook.
- G. All overlooks are proposed to be ADA compliant. Boulders are proposed in this area to stabilize the path, double and single stack coir fascines are proposed in this area as well. Existing informal footpaths will be revegetated with plug planting. Park pathways will, under a Determination of Applicability, have the stone dust replaced with a porous paving material throughout the park.
- H. In the area west of the Boys and Girls Club, there will be a 10 ft. wide strip of no-mow turf grass from the back of sidewalk. The timber guardrail is 5 feet from the back of sidewalk. The no mow is typically 6 inches in height, mowed once a year. There would be some educational signage here to describe the new bee and butterfly "pollinator" habitat, this area is included in the landscape management plan. Single coir fascine and stormwater outfall repair are also included in the restoration of this area.
- I. Within Spring Valley Street, a bio-retention basin is proposed to collect the storm runoff, the slope will be addressed and some regraded will occur close to the shoreline. A planting bed and a double stacked coir fascine are also proposed. Asphalt will be removed as part of this work.
- J. The following Resource Areas are present on the site: Bordering Land Subject to Flooding (BLSF: the 100-year (1 % chance) floodplain), Bordering Vegetated Wetland (BVW), Bank, and Buffer Zone (Act)/Associated Upland Resource Area (Bylaw) and Land Under Water Bodies (LUWB). The Commission finds accurate the delineation of Resource Areas shown on the approved Project Plan. Resources in Spy Pond Park include BVW, Buffer Zones, Bank, and Floodplain.
- K. The Resource Areas on and adjacent to the Property are significant to the Resource Area values protected by the Act and by the Bylaw, as specified in the Bylaw Regulations and 310 CMR 10.00 for each Resource Area.
- L. Based on the testimony at the public hearing, and review of the application materials and the documents listed above submitted during the public hearing, the Commission concludes that the proposed Project qualifies as an Ecological Restoration Limited Project under 310 CMR 10.53(3) and the work as conditioned will not have significant or cumulative effects upon the interests of the Resource Area values of the Arlington Wetlands Bylaw when the conditions imposed are implemented to protect the Resource Area values.

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ADDITIONAL SPECIAL CONDITIONS

In addition to the General Conditions (numbered 1-20 above), the Project is subject to the following Additional Special Conditions (under both the Act and Bylaw):

- 21. Work permitted by this Order and Permit shall conform to the Notice of Intent, the approved plans and documents (listed above and/or per these special conditions), and oral representations (as recorded in hearing minutes) submitted or made by the Applicant and the Applicant's agents or representatives, as well as any plans and other data, information or representations submitted per these Conditions and approved by the Commission.
- 22. The provisions of this Order and Permit shall apply to and be binding upon the Applicant and Applicant's assignees, tenants, property management company, employees, contractors, and agents.
- 23. Prior to work commencing, the Applicant shall provide revisions to Plan Sheets L-1 and L-8 reflecting project changes in response to NHESP comments.
- 24. No work shall be started under this Order until: (a) all other required permits or approvals have been obtained and (b) the appeal period of ten (10) business days from the date of issue of this Order has expired without any appeal being filed and (c) this Order has been recorded in the Registry of Deeds. No work shall be started under this Permit until all other necessary permits or approvals have been obtained.
- 25. The Applicant shall ensure that a copy of this Order of Conditions and Permit for work, with any referenced plans, is available on site at all times, and that contractors, site managers, foremen, and sub-contractors understand its provisions.
- 26. Prior to starting work, the Applicant shall submit to the Conservation Agent the names and 24-hour phone numbers of project managers or the persons responsible for site work or mitigation.
- 27. Before work begins, erosion and sediment controls shall be installed at the limits of the work area per the Project Plans. These will include a silt fence and 12 inch diameter compost filter socks around the entire work area (haybales are not allowed and silt socks are preferred).
- 28. The contractor shall contact the Conservation Agent (781-316-3012) to arrange for a preconstruction meeting with the on-site project manager to walk through the Order of Conditions, confirm the wash out location, and walk the site to confirm the installation and placement of erosion controls prior to the start of any grading or construction work.
- 29. The contractor shall provide written Notice of the work start date to the Conservation Agent 48 hours prior to start of work.
- 30. All dumpsters must be covered at the end of each work day.

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- 31. Areas that are disturbed by construction and access activities shall as soon as possible be brought to final grade and reseeded and restabilized, and shall be done so prior to the removal of the erosion control barrier.
- 32. In no case may waste water be discharged into or onto Resource Areas on or adjacent to the site. In no case may waste water be placed in stormdrains. Any spillage of materials shall be cleaned up promptly.
- 33. Any dirt or debris spilled or tracked onto any paved streets shall be swept up and removed daily.
- 34. No refueling or maintenance of machinery shall be allowed within any Resource Area.
- 35. The Commission, its employees and its agents shall have the right of entry onto the site to inspect for compliance with the terms of this Order of Conditions and Permit until a Certificate of Compliance has been issued.
- 36. When requesting a Certificate of Compliance for this Order of Conditions, the Applicant must submit a written statement from a Massachusetts professional engineer, registered land surveyor, or registered landscape architect certifying that the completed work complies with the plans referenced in this Order, or provide an as-built plan and statement describing any differences.
- 37. The Applicant shall implement tree protection measures for any trees located on the site as specified in the Commission's Bylaw Regulations.
- 38. Pervious surfaces shown on the project plans shall be maintained and not be replaced by impervious surfaces. This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of the permit and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition.
- 39. The landscaping and vegetative areas shall be installed and maintained according to the standards of the American Association of Nurserymen (AAN). This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of the permit and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition.
- 40. The chain link fence to be installed at Scannell Field shall be raised at the bottom 3.5-4.0 inches from the ground to allow for wildlife passage and said height shall be maintained in perpetuity. This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of the permit and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition.



ngton Park and Recreation Commission
422 Summer Street

Arlington, Massachusetts 02474

Ecological Restoration Limited Project Notice of Intent Application Spy Pond Erosion and Edge Control Project

Subject Property

Assessor's Map 9, Block 3 - Parcels 1 and 3, Block 4 - Parcel 1 Assessor's Map 121, Block 6 - Parcel 2 Arlington, Massachusetts

Representative

Hatch Associates Consultants, Inc. 27 Congress Street, Suite 508 Salem, Massachusetts 01970

July 18, 2018







July 18, 2018

Reference: H/355321/001, 0030

Arlington Conservation Commission Town Hall, 730 Massachusetts Ave Arlington, MA 02476

Subject: Ecological Restoration Limited Project Notice of Intent

Spy Pond Edge Protection & Erosion Control Project

Dear Members of the Conservation Commission,

On behalf of the Arlington Parks and Recreation Commission, Hatch Associates Consultants, Inc. (Hatch) is submitting this Ecological Restoration Limited Project Notice of Intent (NOI) Application pursuant to the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (MGL Chapter 131, Section 40) and the Town of Arlington Bylaws Article 8, Bylaw for Wetland Protection for the proposed shoreline stabilization and ecological restoration activities on the Town-owned properties located at Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, Spring Valley, and area west of the Boys and Girls Club.

Enclosed please find (9) copies of the Ecological Restoration Limited Project NOI submission package.

We look forward to meeting with you at the August 2, 2018 Public Hearing. If you have any questions regarding this application or require additional information, please contact me at (978)-224-3123 or at duke.bitsko@hatch.com.

Respectfully,

HATCH

Duke Bitsko, PLA
Director, Interdisciplinary Design

Cc: DEP Northeast Regional Office, NHESP

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SPY POND EDGE PROTECTION AND EROSION CONTROL PROJECT WPA FORM 3 – NOTICE OF INTENT



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Applicant:		
Jon	Marshall	
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Arlington Park and Recreation Commissi	ion	
c. Organization		
422 Summer Street		
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A.	General Information (continued)				
6.	General Project Description:				
	The proposed ecological restoration project consists of restoring degraded areas of Inland Bank along Town-owned properties on Spy Pond by using bioengineered bank stabilization treatments, enhancement plantings, invasive species management, green infrastructure stormwater management, & installing two timber overlook structures on helical pier footings				
7a.	Project Type Checklist: (Limited Project Types see	Section A. 7b.)			
	1. Single Family Home	2. Residential Subdivision			
	3. Commercial/Industrial	4. Dock/Pier			
	5. Utilities	6. Coastal engineering Structure			
	7. Agriculture (e.g., cranberries, forestry)	8. Transportation			
	9. 🛛 Other				
	10.24 and 10.53 for a com 310 CMR 10.53(4)(e)(5) Other: Planting of vegetati	0.24 (coastal) or 310 CMR 10.53 (inland)? ed project applies to this project. (See 310 CMR plete list and description of limited project types) on to improve habitat value;			
res	toration/enhancement of rare species habitat; fill ren	noval and regrading; invasive species			
	If the proposed activity is eligible to be treated as a CMR10.24(8), 310 CMR 10.53(4)), complete and a Project Checklist and Signed Certification.				
8.	Property recorded at the Registry of Deeds for:				
	Middlesex				
	a. County 5432; 3508	b. Certificate # (if registered land) 478; 479			
	c. Book	d. Page Number			
B.	Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impa	acts (temporary & permanent)			
1.	Buffer Zone Only – Check if the project is locate	ed only in the Buffer Zone of a Bordering			
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- Vegetated Wetland, Inland Bank, or Coastal Resource Area.
- 2. Inland Resource Areas (see 310 CMR 10.54-10.58; if not applicable, go to Section B.3, Coastal Resource Areas).

Check all that apply below. Attach narrative and any supporting documentation describing how the project will meet all performance standards for each of the resource areas altered, including standards requiring consideration of alternative project design or location.



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B. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent) (cont'd)

Resource Area Size of Proposed Alteration Proposed Replacement (if any) 1,530 1,530 restore а. 🖂 Bank 1. linear feet 2. linear feet b. 🖂 **Bordering Vegetated** 85 85 in-kind replacement Wetland 1. square feet 2. square feet 290 none c. 🛛 Land Under 1. square feet 2. square feet Waterbodies and Waterways 3. cubic yards dredged Size of Proposed Alteration Resource Area Proposed Replacement (if any) d. 🖂 **Bordering Land** 17,300 17,300 1. square feet 2. square feet Subject to Flooding 360 3. cubic feet of flood storage lost 4. cubic feet replaced е. 🔲 Isolated Land 1. square feet Subject to Flooding 2. cubic feet of flood storage lost 3. cubic feet replaced f. | | Riverfront Area 1. Name of Waterway (if available) - specify coastal or inland Width of Riverfront Area (check one): 25 ft. - Designated Densely Developed Areas only ☐ 100 ft. - New agricultural projects only 200 ft. - All other projects 3. Total area of Riverfront Area on the site of the proposed project: square feet 4. Proposed alteration of the Riverfront Area: b. square feet within 100 ft. c. square feet between 100 ft. and 200 ft. a. total square feet 5. Has an alternatives analysis been done and is it attached to this NOI? ☐ Yes ☐ No 6. Was the lot where the activity is proposed created prior to August 1, 1996? ☐ Yes ☐ No 3. Coastal Resource Areas: (See 310 CMR 10.25-10.35) **Note:** for coastal riverfront areas, please complete **Section B.2.f.** above.

For all projects affecting other Resource Areas, please attach a narrative explaining how the resource area was delineated.



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B. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent) (cont'd)

Check all that apply below. Attach narrative and supporting documentation describing how the project will meet all performance standards for each of the resource areas altered, including standards requiring consideration of alternative project design or location.

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(provided on your
receipt page)
with all
supplementary
information you
submit to the
Department.

Resource Area		Size of Proposed A	<u>Alteration</u>	Proposed Replacement (if any)
а. 🗌	Designated Port Areas	Indicate size under Land Under the Ocean, below		
b. 🗌	Land Under the Ocean	1. square feet		
		2. cubic yards dredged		
c. 🗌	Barrier Beach	Indicate size under	Coastal Beac	hes and/or Coastal Dunes below
d. 🗌	Coastal Beaches	1. square feet		2. cubic yards beach nourishment
e. 🗌	Coastal Dunes	1. square feet		2. cubic yards dune nourishment
		Size of Proposed A	<u>Alteration</u>	Proposed Replacement (if any)
f	Coastal Banks	1. linear feet		
g. 🔲	Rocky Intertidal Shores	1. square feet		
h. 🗌	Salt Marshes	1. square feet		2. sq ft restoration, rehab., creation
i. 🗌	Land Under Salt Ponds	1. square feet		
_		2. cubic yards dredged		
j. 📙	Land Containing Shellfish	1. square feet		
k. 🗌	Fish Runs			s, inland Bank, Land Under the Waterbodies and Waterways,
		1. cubic yards dredged		
I. 🗌	Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage	1. square feet		
Restoration/Enhancement If the project is for the purpose of restoring or enhancing a wetland resource area in addition to the square footage that has been entered in Section B.2.b or B.3.h above, please enter the additional amount here.				
a. square	e feet of BVW	b	. square feet of Sa	alt Marsh
☐ Pro	oject Involves Stream Cross	sings		
a. numbe	er of new stream crossings	b	. number of replac	cement stream crossings

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C. Other Applicable Standards and Requirements

\boxtimes	This is a proposal f	or an Ecological Restoration Limited Project. Skip Section C and	
	complete Appendix	A: Ecological Restoration Limited Project Checklists - Required	Actions
	(310 CMR 10.11).	*Project is located within Priority Habitat & undergoing separate	
		MESA Review.	

Σti	reamlined massachusetts Endangered Species Act/Wetlands Protection Act Review		
1.	Is any portion of the proposed project located in Estimated Habitat of Rare Wildlife as indicated on the most recent Estimated Habitat Map of State-Listed Rare Wetland Wildlife published by the Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program (NHESP)? To view habitat maps, see the <i>Massachusetts Natural Heritage Atlas</i> or go to http://maps.massgis.state.ma.us/PRI_EST_HAB/viewer.htm .		
	a. Yes No If yes, include proof of mailing or hand delivery of NOI to:		
	Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program Division of Fisheries and Wildlife 1 Rabbit Hill Road Westborough, MA 01581		
	If yes, the project is also subject to Massachusetts Endangered Species Act (MESA) review (321 CMR 10.18). To qualify for a streamlined, 30-day, MESA/Wetlands Protection Act review, please complete Section C.1.c, and include requested materials with this Notice of Intent (NOI); OR complete Section C.2.f, if applicable. If MESA supplemental information is not included with the NOI, by completing Section 1 of this form, the NHESP will require a separate MESA filing which may take up to 90 days to review (unless noted exceptions in Section 2 apply, see below).		
	c. Submit Supplemental Information for Endangered Species Review*		
	Percentage/acreage of property to be altered:		
	(a) Within wetland Resource Area percentage/acreage		
	(b) outside Resource Area percentage/acreage		
	2. Assessor's Map or right-of-way plan of site		
2.	Project plans for entire project site, including wetland resource areas and areas outside of wetlands jurisdiction, showing existing and proposed conditions, existing and proposed tree/vegetation clearing line, and clearly demarcated limits of work **		
	(a) Project description (including description of impacts outside of wetland resource area & buffer zone)		
	(b) Photographs representative of the site		

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^{*} Some projects not in Estimated Habitat may be located in Priority Habitat, and require NHESP review (see http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dfw/natural-heritage/regulatory-review/). Priority Habitat includes habitat for state-listed plants and strictly upland species not protected by the Wetlands Protection Act.

^{**} MESA projects may not be segmented (321 CMR 10.16). The applicant must disclose full development plans even if such plans are not required as part of the Notice of Intent process. 106 of 267 wpaform3.doc • rev. 2/8/2018



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	Make	MESA filing fee (fee information availal www.mass.gov/dfwele/dfw/nhesp/regulate check payable to "Commonwealth of Mas address	ory review/mesa/mesa fo	<u>ee_schedule.htm</u>). d <i>mail to NHESP</i> at			
	Project	Projects altering 10 or more acres of land, also submit:					
	(d)	Vegetation cover type map of site					
	(e)	Project plans showing Priority & Estima	ated Habitat boundaries				
(f) OR Check One of the Following							
	1. 🗌	Project is exempt from MESA review. Attach applicant letter indicating which http://www.mass.gov/dfwele/dfw/nhesp the NOI must still be sent to NHESP if 310 CMR 10.37 and 10.59.)	/regulatory_review/mesa	/mesa_exemptions.htm;			
	2. 🗌	Separate MESA review ongoing.	a. NHESP Tracking #	b. Date submitted to NHESP			
	3.	Separate MESA review completed. Include copy of NHESP "no Take" dete Permit with approved plan.	rmination or valid Conser	vation & Management			
 3. For coastal projects only, is any portion of the proposed project located below the mean h line or in a fish run? a. Not applicable – project is in inland resource area only b. Yes No If yes, include proof of mailing, hand delivery, or electronic delivery of NOI to either: 				w the mean high water			
				☐ No			
				either:			
	South Shore - Cohasset to Rhode Island border, and the Cape & Islands:						
	Division of Marine Fisheries - Southeast Marine Fisheries Station Attn: Environmental Reviewer 836 South Rodney French Blvd. New Bedford, MA 02744 Email: DMF.EnvReview-South@state.ma.us Division of Marine Fisheries - North Shore Office Attn: Environmental Reviewer 30 Emerson Avenue Gloucester, MA 01930 Email: DMF.EnvReview-North@state.ma.us						

Also if yes, the project may require a Chapter 91 license. For coastal towns in the Northeast Region, please contact MassDEP's Boston Office. For coastal towns in the Southeast Region, please contact MassDEP's Southeast Regional Office.



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C. Other Applicable Standards and Requirements (cont'd)

	4.	Is any portion of the proposed project within an Area of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC)?
Online Users: Include your document		a. Yes No If yes, provide name of ACEC (see instructions to WPA Form 3 or MassDEP Website for ACEC locations). Note: electronic filers click on Website.
transaction number		b. ACEC
(provided on your receipt page) with all	5.	Is any portion of the proposed project within an area designated as an Outstanding Resource Water (ORW) as designated in the Massachusetts Surface Water Quality Standards, 314 CMR 4.00?
supplementary		a. 🗌 Yes 🔲 No
information you submit to the Department.	6.	Is any portion of the site subject to a Wetlands Restriction Order under the Inland Wetlands Restriction Act (M.G.L. c. 131, § 40A) or the Coastal Wetlands Restriction Act (M.G.L. c. 130, § 105)?
		a. Yes No
	7.	Is this project subject to provisions of the MassDEP Stormwater Management Standards?
		a. Yes. Attach a copy of the Stormwater Report as required by the Stormwater Management Standards per 310 CMR 10.05(6)(k)-(q) and check if:
		 Applying for Low Impact Development (LID) site design credits (as described in Stormwater Management Handbook Vol. 2, Chapter 3)
		2. A portion of the site constitutes redevelopment
		3. Proprietary BMPs are included in the Stormwater Management System.
		b. No. Check why the project is exempt:
		1. Single-family house
		2. Emergency road repair
		3. Small Residential Subdivision (less than or equal to 4 single-family houses or less than or equal to 4 units in multi-family housing project) with no discharge to Critical Areas.
	D.	Additional Information
		This is a proposal for an Ecological Restoration Limited Project. Skip Section D and complete Appendix A: Ecological Restoration Notice of Intent – Minimum Required Documents (310 CMR 10.12).
		Applicants must include the following with this Notice of Intent (NOI). See instructions for details.
		Online Users: Attach the document transaction number (provided on your receipt page) for any of the following information you submit to the Department.
		1. USGS or other map of the area (along with a narrative description, if necessary) containing sufficient information for the Conservation Commission and the Department to locate the site (Electronic filers may omit this item.)
		2. Plans identifying the location of proposed activities (including activities proposed to serve as a Bordering Vegetated Wetland [BVW] replication area or other mitigating measure) relative to the boundaries of each affected resource area.



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D. A	D. Additional Information (cont'd)				
3.	3. Identify the method for BVW and other resource area boundary delineations (MassDEP BV Field Data Form(s), Determination of Applicability, Order of Resource Area Delineation, etc and attach documentation of the methodology.				
4.	4. List the titles and dates for all plans and other materials submitted with this NOI.			n this NOI.	
	a. P	an Title			
	b. P	repared By	c. Signed and Stamped by		
	d. Fi	nal Revision Date	e. Scale		
	f. Ac	ditional Plan or Document Title		g. Date	
5.		If there is more than one property owner, plasted on this form.	ease attach a list of these	ŭ	
6.		Attach proof of mailing for Natural Heritage	and Endangered Species	Program, if needed.	
7.		Attach proof of mailing for Massachusetts D	ivision of Marine Fisheries	s, if needed.	
8.		Attach NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form			
9.		Attach Stormwater Report, if needed.			
E. F	ees				
1.		Fee Exempt: No filing fee shall be assessed of the Commonwealth, federally recognized authority, or the Massachusetts Bay Transp	Indian tribe housing author		
	Applicants must submit the following information (in addition to pages 1 and 2 of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form) to confirm fee payment:			of the NOI Wetland	
2. [Munici	oal Check Number	3. Check date		

5. Check date

7. Payor name on check: Last Name

4. State Check Number

6. Payor name on check: First Name



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F. Signatures and Submittal Requirements

I hereby certify under the penalties of perjury that the foregoing Notice of Intent and accompanying plans, documents, and supporting data are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the Conservation Commission will place notification of this Notice in a local newspaper at the expense of the applicant in accordance with the wetlands regulations, 310 CMR 10.05(5)(a).

I further certify under penalties of perjury that all abutters were notified of this application, pursuant to the requirements of M.G.L. c. 131, § 40. Notice must be made by Certificate of Mailing or in writing by hand delivery or certified mail (return receipt requested) to all abutters within 100 feet of the property line of the project location.

7/9/2013

1/Signature of Applicant

2. Date

3/Signature of Property Owner (if different)

4. Date
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5. Signature of Representative (if any)

6. Date

For Conservation Commission:

Two copies of the completed Notice of Intent (Form 3), including supporting plans and documents, two copies of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form, and the city/town fee payment, to the Conservation Commission by certified mail or hand delivery.

For MassDEP:

One copy of the completed Notice of Intent (Form 3), including supporting plans and documents, one copy of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form, and a copy of the state fee payment to the MassDEP Regional Office (see Instructions) by certified mail or hand delivery.

Other

If the applicant has checked the "yes" box in any part of Section C, Item 3, above, refer to that section and the Instructions for additional submittal requirements.

The original and copies must be sent simultaneously. Failure by the applicant to send copies in a timely manner may result in dismissal of the Notice of Intent.



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. Applicant In	formation	* Municipal Proje	ect – Exempt from Fili	ng Fees
Location of Project	•			
0 Pond Lane; Sprir	ng Valley	Arlii	ngton	
a. Street Address	·		ty/Town	
		N/A	– Municipal Project, E	Exempt
c. Check number		d. Fe	ee amount	•
Applicant Mailing A	Address:			
Jon		Maı	shall	
a. First Name		b. La	ast Name	
Arlington Park and	Recreation Com	nmission		
c. Organization				
422 Summer Stree	et			
d. Mailing Address				
Arlington			MA	02474
e. City/Town			f. State	g. Zip Code
781-316-3880	none	jma	rshall@town.arlington	.ma.us
h. Phone Number	i. Fax Numb		nail Address	
Property Owner (if	different):			
same as above				
a. First Name		b. La	ast Name	
Town of Arlington I	Parks			
c. Organization				·
730 Massachusetts	s Ave. (Annex)			
d. Mailing Address				
Arlington			MA	02476
e. City/Town			f. State	g. Zip Code
781-316-3010	none	jma	rshall@town.arlington	.ma.us
h. Phone Number	i. Fax Numb	per j. En	nail Address	

To calculate filing fees, refer to the category fee list and examples in the instructions for filling out WPA Form 3 (Notice of Intent).

B. Fees

Fee should be calculated using the following process & worksheet. *Please see Instructions before filling out worksheet.*

Step 1/Type of Activity: Describe each type of activity that will occur in wetland resource area and buffer zone.

Step 2/Number of Activities: Identify the number of each type of activity.

Step 3/Individual Activity Fee: Identify each activity fee from the six project categories listed in the instructions.

Step 4/Subtotal Activity Fee: Multiply the number of activities (identified in Step 2) times the fee per category (identified in Step 3) to reach a subtotal fee amount. Note: If any of these activities are in a Riverfront Area in addition to another Resource Area or the Buffer Zone, the fee per activity should be multiplied by 1.5 and then added to the subtotal amount.

Step 5/Total Project Fee: Determine the total project fee by adding the subtotal amounts from Step 4.

Step 6/Fee Payments: To calculate the state share of the fee, divide the total fee in half and subtract \$12.50. To calculate the city/town share of the fee, divide the total fee in half and add \$12.50.



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B. Fees (continued)			
Step 1/Type of Activity	Step 2/Number of Activities	Step 3/Individual Activity Fee	Step 4/Subtotal Activity Fee
N/A - Municipal Project	N/A	N/A	N/A - Exempt
	Step 5/Te	otal Project Fee:	N/A - Exempt
	Step 6/	Fee Payments:	
	Total	Project Fee:	a. Total Fee from Step 5
	State share	of filing Fee:	b. 1/2 Total Fee less \$ 12.50
	City/Town shar	e of filling Fee:	c. 1/2 Total Fee plus \$12.50

C. Submittal Requirements

a.) Complete pages 1 and 2 and send with a check or money order for the state share of the fee, payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Department of Environmental Protection Box 4062 Boston, MA 02211

b.) **To the Conservation Commission:** Send the Notice of Intent or Abbreviated Notice of Intent; a **copy** of this form; and the city/town fee payment.

To MassDEP Regional Office (see Instructions): Send a copy of the Notice of Intent or Abbreviated Notice of Intent; a **copy** of this form; and a **copy** of the state fee payment. (E-filers of Notices of Intent may submit these electronically.)



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Eligibility Checklist

This Ecological Restoration Limited Project Eligibility Checklist guides the applicant in determining if their project is eligible to file as an Inland or Coastal Ecological Restoration Limited Project (310 CMR 10.53(4) or 310 CMR 10.24(8) respectively). These criteria must be met when submitting the Ecological Restoration Limited Project Notice of Intent to ensure that the restoration and improvement of the natural capacity of a Resource Area(s) to protect and sustain the interests identified in the WPA is **necessary** to achieve the project's ecological restoration goals.

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Note:
Before
completing this
form consult your
local
Conservation
Commission
regarding any
municipal bylaw
or ordinance.

Regulatory Features of All Coastal and Inland Ecological Restoration Limited Projects

- (a) May result in the temporary or permanent loss of/or conversion of Resource Area: An Ecological Restoration Limited Project that meets the requirements of 310 CMR 10.24(8) may result in the temporary or permanent loss of Resource Areas and/or the conversion of one Resource Area to another when such loss is necessary to the achievement of the project's ecological restoration goals.
- (b) Exemption from wildlife habitat evaluation: A NOI for an Ecological Restoration Limited Project that meets the minimum requirements for Ecological Restoration Projects and for a MassDEP Combined Application outlined in 310 CMR 10.12(1) and (2) is exempt from providing a wildlife habitat evaluation (310 CMR 10.60).
- (c) The following are considerations for applicants filing an Ecological Restoration Limited Project NOI and for the issuing authority approving a project as an Ecological Restoration Limited Project:
 - The condition of existing and historic Resource Areas proposed for restoration.
 - Evidence of the extent and severity of the impairment(s) that reduce the capacity of the Resource Areas to protect and sustain the interests identified in M.G.L. c. 131, § 40.
 - The magnitude and significance of the benefits of the Ecological Restoration Project in improving the capacity of the affected Resource Areas to protect and sustain the other interests identified in M.G.L. c. 131, § 40.
 - The magnitude and significance of the impacts of the Ecological Restoration Project on existing Resource Areas that may be modified, converted and/or lost and the interests for which said Resource Areas are presumed significant in 310 CMR 10.00, and the extent to which the project will:
 - a. avoid adverse impacts to Resource Areas and the interests identified in M.G.L. c. 131, § 40, that can be avoided without impeding the achievement of the project's ecological restoration goals.
 - b. minimize adverse impacts to Resource Areas and the interests identified in M.G.L. c. 131, § 40, that are necessary to the achievement of the project's ecological restoration goals.
 - c. utilize best management practices such as erosion and siltation controls and proper construction sequencing to avoid and minimize adverse construction impacts to resource areas and the interests identified in M.G.L. c. 131, § 40.



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Eligibility Criteria - Coastal Ecological Restoration Limited Projects (310 CMR 10.24(8))

Complete this Eligibility Criteria Checklist *before* filling out a Notice of Intent Application to determine if your project qualifies as a Coastal Ecological Restoration Limited Project. (310 CMR 10.24(8)) Sign the Eligibility Certification at the end of Appendix A, and attach the checklist with supporting documentation and the Eligibility Certification to your Notice of Intent Application.

General Eligibility Criteria for All Coastal Ecological Restoration Limited Projects

and Col Ecc	withstanding the requirements of 310 CMR 10.25 through 10.35, 310 CMR 10.54 through 10.58, If the Wildlife Habitat evaluations in 310 CMR 10.60, the Issuing Authority may issue an Order of Inditions permitting an Ecological Restoration Project listed in 310 CMR 10.24(8)(e) as an ological Restoration Limited Project and impose such conditions as will contribute to the interests in the WPA M.G.L. provided that the project meets all the requirements in 310 CMR 10.24
	The project is an Ecological Restoration Project as defined in 310 CMR 10.04 and is a project type listed below [310 CMR 10.24(8)(e)].
	Tidal Restoration.
	Shellfish Habitat Restoration.
	Other Ecological Restoration Limited Project Type.
	The project will further at least one of the WPA (M.G.L. c. 131, § 40) interests identified below.
	☐ Protection of public or private water supply.
	☐ Protection of ground water supply.
	☐ Flood control.
	☐ Storm damage prevention.
	☐ Prevention of pollution.
	Protection of land containing shellfish.
	☐ Protection of fisheries.
	☐ Protection of wildlife habitat.
	If the project will impact an area located within estimated habitat which is indicated on the most recent Estimated Habitat Map of State-Listed Rare Wetlands, a NHESP preliminary written determination is attached to the NOI submittal that the project will not have any adverse long-term and short-term effects on specified habitat sites of Rare Species or the project will be carried out in accordance with an approved NHESP habitat management plan.



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Eligibility Criteria - Coastal Ecological Restoration Limited Projects (310 CMR 10.24(8)) (Cont.)

General Eligibility Criteria for All Coastal Ecological Restoration Limited Projects (cont.)
 ☐ If the project is located in a Coastal Dune or Barrier Beach, the project avoids and minimizes armoring of the Coastal Dune or Barrier Beach to the maximum extent practicable. ☐ The project complies with all applicable provisions of 310 CMR 10.24(1) through (6) and 310 CMR 10.24(9) and (10).
Additional Eligibility Criteria for Specific Coastal Ecological Restoration Limited Project Types
These additional criteria must be met to qualify as an Ecological Restoration Limited Project to ensure that the restoration and improvement of the natural capacity of a Resource Area to protect and sustain the interests identified in the WPA is necessary to achieve the project's ecological restoration goals.
☐ This Ecological Restoration Limited Project application meets the eligibility criteria for Ecological Restoration Limited Project [310 CMR 10.24(8)(a) through (d) and as proposed, furthers at least one of the WPA interests is for the project type identified below.
☐ Tidal Restoration Projects
A project to restore tidal flow that will not significantly increase flooding or storm damage impacts to the built environment, including without limitation, buildings, wells, septic systems, roads or other man-made structures or infrastructure.
☐ Shellfish Habitat Restoration Projects
The project has received a Special Projects Permit from the Division of Marine Fisheries or, if a municipality, has received a shellfish propagation permit.
The project is made of cultch (e.g., shellfish shells from oyster, surf or ocean clam) or is a structure manufactured specifically for shellfish enhancement (e.g., reef blocks, reef balls, racks, floats, rafts, suspended gear).
Other Ecological Restoration Projects that meet the criteria set forth in 310 CMR 10.24(8)(a) through (d).
Restoration, enhancement, or management of Rare Species habitat.
Restoration of hydrologic and habitat connectivity.
Removal of aquatic nuisance vegetation to impede eutrophication.
☐ Thinning or planting of vegetation to improve habitat value.
Fill removal and re-grading.
Riparian corridor re-naturalization.
River floodplain re-connection.



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Eligibility Criteria - Coastal Ecological Restoration Limited Projects (310 CMR 10.24(8)) (Cont.)

Additional Eligibility Criteria for Specific Coastal Ecological Restoration Limited Project Types		
☐ In-stream habitat enhancement.		
Remediation of historic tidal wetland ditching.		
☐ Eelgrass restoration.		
☐ Invasive species management.		
☐ Installation of fish passage structures.		
Other. Describe:		
 ☐ This project involves the construction, repair, replacement or expaninfrastructure (310 CMR 10.24(9). ☐ The NOI attachment labeled is an operation and mainteninfrastructure will continue to function as designed. ☐ The operation and maintenance plan will be implemented as a Order of Conditions and the Certificate of Compliance. 	nance plan to ensure that the	
This project proposes to replace an existing stream crossing (3 crossing complies with the Massachusetts Stream Crossing Stapracticable with details provided in the NOI. The crossing type:		
 ☐ Replaces an existing non-tidal crossing that is part of an Ar Run (310 CMR 10.35) ☐ Replaces an existing tidal crossing that restricts tidal flow. eliminated to the maximum extent practicable. ☐ At a minimum, in evaluating the potential to comply with the star practicable the following criteria have been consider site construndesirable effects or risk in meeting the standard, and the envithe standard compared to the cost, by evaluating the following: ☐ The potential for downstream flooding; 	The tidal restriction will be ndards to the maximum extent aints in meeting the standard,	
☐ Upstream and downstream habitat (in-stream habitat, wetla	ands);	
☐ Potential for erosion and head-cutting;		
☐ Stream stability;		
☐ Habitat fragmentation caused by the crossing;		
☐ The amount of stream mileage made accessible by the imp	provements;	
Storm flow conveyance;		



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Eligibility Criteria - Coastal Ecological Restoration Limited Projects (310 CMR 10.24(8)) (Cont.)

Additional Eligibility Criteria for Specific Coastal Ecological Restoration Limited Project Types		
☐ Engineering design constraints specific to the crossing;		
☐ Hydrologic constraints specific to the crossing;		
☐ Impacts to wetlands that would occur by improving the crossing;		
☐ Potential to affect property and infrastructure; and		
Cost of replacement.		
igibility Criteria - Inland Ecological Restoration Limited Project (310 MR 10.53(4))		
Complete this Eligibility Criteria Checklist before filling out a Notice of Intent Application to determine if your project qualifies as an Inland Ecological Restoration Limited Project. (310 CMR 10.53(4)) Sign the Eligibility Certification at the end of Appendix A, and attach the checklist with supporting documentation and the Eligibility Certification to your Notice of Intent Application.		
General Eligibility Criteria for All Inland Ecological Restoration Limited Projects		
Notwithstanding the requirements of any other provision of 310 CMR 10.25 through 10.35, 310 CMR 10.54 through 10.58, and 310 CMR 10.60, the Issuing Authority may issue an Order of Conditions permitting an Ecological Restoration Project listed in 310 CMR 10.53(4)(e) as an Ecological Restoration Limited Project and impose such conditions as will contribute to the interests identified in M.G.L. c. 131, § 40, provided that:		
☐ The project is an Ecological Restoration Project as defined in 310 CMR 10.04 and is a project type listed below [310 CMR 10.53(4)(e)].		
☐ Dam Removal		
☐ Freshwater Stream Crossing Repair and Replacement		
☐ Stream Daylighting		
☐ Tidal Restoration		
☐ Rare Species Habitat Restoration		
☐ Restoring Fish Passageways		



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Eligibility Criteria - Inland Ecological Restoration Limited Project (310 CMR 10.53(4)) (cont.)

General Fligibility Criteria for All Inland Ecological Restoration Limited Projects

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\boxtimes	The project will further at least one of the WP	A (M.G.L. c. 131, § 40) interests identified below.	
	☐ Protection of public or private water supp	ly	
	☐ Protection of ground water supply		
	□ Prevention of pollution		
	☐ Protection of land containing shellfish		
	☐ Protection of fisheries		
	□ Protection of wildlife habitat	*Project is located within Priority Habitat & undergoing separate MESA Review.	
	recent Estimated Habitat Map of State-Listed determination is attached to the NOI submitta	n estimated habitat which is indicated on the most Rare Wetlands, a NHESP preliminary written all that the project will have no adverse long-term and f Rare Species or the project will be carried out in the management plan.	
		with any time of year restrictions or other conditions eries for coastal waters and the Division of Fisheries 11(3).	
		oic yards of sediment or more or dredging of any Water Quality Certification has been applied for or	
\boxtimes	The project complies with all applicable provis	sions of 310 CMR 10.53(1), (2), (7), and (8).	



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Eligibility Criteria - Inland Ecological Restoration Limited Project (310 CMR 10.53(4)) (cont.)

Additional Eligibility Criteria for Specific Inland Ecological Restoration Limited Project Types

These additional criteria must be met to qualify as an Ecological Restoration Limited Project to ensure that the restoration and improvement of the natural capacity of a Resource Area to protect and sustain the interests identified in the WPA is **necessary** to achieve the project's ecological restoration goals.

the	inte	erests identified in the WPA is necessary to achieve the project's ecological restoration goals.
	acc	is project application meets the eligibility criteria for Ecological Restoration Limited Project in cordance with [310 CMR 10.53(4)(a) through (d) and as proposed, furthers at least one of the PA interests is for the project type identified below:
		Dam Removal
		☐ Project is consistent with MassDEP's 2007 Dam Removal Guidance.
		Freshwater Stream Crossing Repair and Replacement . The project as proposed and the NOI describes how:
		☐ Meeting the eligibility criteria set forth in 310 CMR 10.13 would result in significant stream instability or flooding hazard that cannot otherwise be mitigated, and site constraints make it impossible to meet said criteria.
		☐ The project design ensures that the stability of the bank is NOT impaired.
		☐ To the maximum extent practicable, the project provides for the restoration of the stream upstream and downstream of the structure as needed to restore stream continuity and eliminate barriers to aquatic organism movement.
		☐ The project complies with the requirements of 310 CMR 10.53(7) and (8).
		Stream Daylighting Projects
		The project meets the eligibility criteria for Ecological Restoration Limited Project [310 CMR 10.53(4)(a) through (d)] and as proposed the NOI describes how the proposed project meets to the maximum extent practicable, consistent with the project's ecological restoration goals, all the performance standards for Bank and Land Under Water Bodies and Waterways.
		☐ The project meets the requirements of 310 CMR 10.12(1) and (2) and a wildlife habitat evaluation is not included in the NOI.
		Tidal Restoration Project
		Restores tidal flow.
		the project, including any proposed flood mitigation measures, will not significantly increase flooding or storm damage to the built environment, including without limitation, buildings, wells, septic systems, roads or other man-made structures or infrastructure.



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Eligibility Criteria - Inland Ecological Restoration Limited Project (310 CMR 10.53(4)) (cont.)

Other Ecological Restoration Projects that meet the criteria set forth in 310 CMR 10.53 (4) (a) through (d).
□ Restoration, enhancement, or management of Rare Species habitat.
Restoration of hydrologic and habitat connectivity.
Removal of aquatic nuisance vegetation to impede eutrophication.
☐ Thinning or planting of vegetation to improve habitat value.
Riparian corridor re-naturalization.
River floodplain re-connection.
☐ In-stream habitat enhancement.
☐ Fill removal and re-grading.
☐ Flow restoration.
☐ Installation of fish passage structures.
☑ Invasive species management.
Other. Describe:
This project involves the construction, repair, replacement or expansion of public or private infrastructure. (310 CMR 10.53(7))
The NOI attachment labeled <u>Appendix E</u> is an operation and maintenance plan to ensure that the infrastructure will continue to function as designed.
☐ The operation and maintenance plan will be implemented as a continuing condition in the Order of Conditions and the Certificate of Compliance.
This project replaces an existing stream crossing (310 CMR 10.53(8)). The crossing type:
 Replaces an existing non-tidal crossing designed to comply with the Massachusetts Stream Crossing Standards to the maximum extent practicable with details provided in the NOI. Replaces an existing tidal crossing that restricts tidal flow. The tidal restriction will be eliminated to the maximum extent practicable.



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Eligibility Criteria - Inland Ecological Restoration Limited Project (310 CMR 10.53(4)) (cont.)

At a minimum, in evaluating the potential to comply with the standards to the maximum extent practicable the following criteria have been consider site constraints in meeting the standard, undesirable effects or risk in meeting the standard, and the environmental benefit of meeting the standard compared to the cost, by evaluating the following:
☐ The potential for downstream flooding;
☐ Upstream and downstream habitat (in-stream habitat, wetlands);
☐ Potential for erosion and head-cutting;
☐ Stream stability;
☐ Habitat fragmentation caused by the crossing;
☐ The amount of stream mileage made accessible by the improvements;
☐ Storm flow conveyance;
☐ Engineering design constraints specific to the crossing;
☐ Hydrologic constraints specific to the crossing;
☐ Impacts to wetlands that would occur by improving the crossing;
☐ Potential to affect property and infrastructure; and
Cost of replacement.



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Complete the Required Actions <u>before</u> submitting a Notice of Intent Application for an Ecological Restoration Project and submit a completed copy of this Checklist with the Notice of Intent.

	Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act (MEPA) / Environmental Monitor http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/mepa/submitting-notices-to-the-environmental-monitor.html									
	For Ecological Restoration Limited Projects, there are no changes to MEPA requirements.									
Submit written notification at least 14 days prior to the filing of a Notice of Intent (No Environmental Monitor for publication. A copy of the written notification is attached minimum:										
	\boxtimes	Αb	rief	desc	cription of the proposed project.					
	\boxtimes	The	e an	ticip	ated NOI submission date to the conservation	n commission.				
	\boxtimes	The	e na	me a	and address of the conservation commission	that will review the NOI.				
					tails as to where copies of the NOI may be exme, and location of the public hearing.	xamined or acquired and where to obtain				
	Ma	ssa	chu	setts	s Endangered Species Act (MESA) /Wetlar	nds Protection Act Review				
					Massachusetts Endangered Species Act Red Species Program (NHESP) has been met a					
			Su	pple	mental Information for Endangered Species I	Review has been submitted.				
			1.		Percentage/acreage of property to be altere	d:				
				a.	Within Wetland Resource Area	Percentage/acreage				
				b.	Outside Wetland Resource Area	Percentage/acreage				
			2.		Assessor's Map or right-of-way plan of site					
	3. Project plans for entire project site, including wetland resource areas and areas outside of wetlands jurisdiction, showing existing and proposed conditions, existing and proposed tree/vegetation clearing line, and clearly demarcated limits of work.									
					Project description (including description of r zone)	impacts outside of wetland resource area				
			5.		Photographs representative of the site					
		http	6. o://w	ww.	MESA filing fee (fee information available at mass.gov/dfwele/dfw/nhesp/regulatory revie					

*Project is located within Priority Habitat & undergoing separate MESA Review.



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qu	ire	a <i>P</i>	actions (310 CMR 10.11) (cont.)
		Mak	e check payable to "Commonwealth of Ma	ssachusetts - NHESP" and mail to NHESP:
			Natural Heritage & Endangered Species MA Division of Fisheries & Wildlife 1 Rabbit Hill Road Westborough, MA 01581	Program
		7.	Projects altering 10 or more acres of land,	also submit:
			a.	
			b. Project plans showing Priority & Es	stimated Habitat boundaries
		<u>OR</u>	Check One of the Following:	
		1.	☐ Project is exempt from MESA review.	*Project is located within Priority Habitat & undergoing separate MESA Review.
		Atta <u>http</u> <u>end</u>	ch applicant letter indicating which MESA e ://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dfw/nat	ural-heritage/regulatory-review/mass- still be sent to NHESP if the project is within
		2.	⊠ Separate MESA review ongoing.	
			Not yet provided - See Appendix E	7/19/18
		•	a. NHESP Tracking #	b. Date submitted to NHESP
		3. or v	☐ Separate MESA review completed. Inc alid Conservation & Management Permit w	lude copy of NHESP "no Take" determination ith approved plan.
	Esti	mat	ed Habitat Map of State-Listed Rare Wet	lands Wildlife
	on ti Natı view	he n ural / hal	nost recent Estimated Habitat Map of State Heritage and Endangered Species Prograr pitat maps, see the Massachusetts Natur a	timated Habitat of Rare Wildlife as indicated -Listed Rare Wetland Wildlife published by the n (NHESP), complete the portion below. To all Heritage Atlas or view the maps s/dfg/dfw/natural-heritage/regulatory-review
			reliminary written determination from Natura ESP) must be obtained indicating that:	al Heritage and Endangered Species Program
				dverse effect on the actual Resource Area on the most recent Estimated Habitat Map of ned by NHESP.
			☐ Date of the map:	



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Required Actions (310 CMR 10.11) (cont.)	
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If the Rare Species identified is/are likely to continue to be local and if so, whether the Resource Area to be altered is in fact p Species.	
☐ That if the project alters Resource Area(s) within the habitat of	of a Rare Species:
☐ The Rare Species is identified;	
NHESP's recommended changes or conditions necessary to have no short or long term adverse effect on the habitat of the Species is provided; or	
☐ An approved NHESP habitat management plan is attached w	ith this Notice of Intent.
Send the request for a preliminary determination to: Natural Heritage & Endangered Species Program MA Division of Fisheries & Wildlife 1 Rabbit Hill Road Westborough, MA 01581	
☐ Division of Marine Fisheries	
☐ If the project will occur within a coastal waterbody with a restricted Appendix B of the Division of Marine Fisheries (DMF) Technical Reportance of Year Restrictions (TOYs) for Coastal Alteration Projects" date http://www.nae.usace.army.mil/Portals/74/docs/regulatory/StateGene-47.pdf].	ort TR 47 "Marine Fisheries ed April 2011
☐ Obtain a DMF written determination stating:	
☐ The proposed work does NOT require a TOY restriction.	
The proposed work requires a TOY restriction. Specific recon recommended conditions on the proposed work is attached.	nmended TOY restriction and
☐ If the project may affect a diadromous fish run [re: Division of Mar Technical Reports TR 15 through 18, dated 2004: http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dmf/publications/technical.htm	
Obtain a DMF written determination stating:	
The design specifications and operational plan for the propassage requirements of the fish run.	ject are compatible with the

☐ The design specifications and operational plan for the project are not compatible with

the passage requirements of the fish run.



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Required Actions (310 CMR 10.11) (cont.)

Send the request for a written or electronic	determination to:
South Shore – Cohasset to Rhode Island border, and the Cape & Islands:	North Shore – Hull to New Hampshire border:
Division of Marine Fisheries –	Division of Marine Fisheries –
South Coast Field Station	North Shore Field Station
Attn: Environmental Reviewer	Attn: Environmental Reviewer
836 South Rodney French Blvd.	30 Emerson Avenue
New Bedford, MA 02744	Gloucester, MA 01930
Email: <u>DMF.EnvReview-South@state.ma.us</u>	Email: <u>DMF.EnvReview-North@state.ma.us</u>
Division of Fisheries and Wildlife – http://www.ma	ass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dfw/
☐ Projects that involve silt-generating, in-water wo stream and the in-water work will not occur betw ☐ Obtain a written determination from the Divite the proposed work requires a TOY restriction.	veen May 1 and August 30. sion of Fisheries and Wildlife (DFW) as to whethe
☐ The proposed work does NOT require a	a TOY restriction.
The proposed work requires a TOY res restriction and other conditions is attach	triction. The DFW determination with TOY ned.
MassDEP Water Quality Certification	
 Project involves dredging of 100 cubic yards or amount in an Outstanding Resource Water (OR Quality Certification pursuant to 314 CMR 9.00 	W). A copy and proof of the MassDEP Water
☐ This project is a Combined Permit Application for	or 401 Dredging and Restoration (BRP WW 26).
MassDEP Wetlands Restriction Order	

☐ Department of Conservation and Recreation

Office of Dam Safety

⊠ No

☐ Yes

For Dam Removal Projects, obtain a written determination from the Department of Conservation and Recreation Office of Dam Safety that the dam is not subject to the jurisdiction of the Office under 302 CMR 10.00, a written determination that the dam removal does not require a permit under 302 CMR 10.00 or a permit authorizing the dam removal in accordance with 302 CMR 10.00 has been issued.

Is any portion of the site subject to a Wetlands Restriction Order under the Inland Wetlands Restriction

Act (M.G.L. c. 131, § 40A) or the Coastal Wetlands Restriction Act (M.G.L. c. 130, § 105)?



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	Required Actions (310 CMR 10.11) (cont.)												
	Areas of Critical Environmental Concern (ACECs)												
	ls a	Is any portion of the proposed project within an Area of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC)?									,		
		Yes		No		ovide name of A Website for A				ons to V	VPA For	m 3 or	
	Nan	ne of ACEC	;										
Mi	nir	num F	Req	uired	Docum	ents (310 C	CMR	R 10.12)					
Not	Complete the Required Documents Checklist below and provide supporting materials <u>before</u> submittin Notice of Intent Application for an Ecological Restoration Project. This Notice of Intent meets all applicable requirements outlined in for Ecological Restoration Proje in 310 CMR 10.12. Use the checklist below to insure that all documentation is included with the N						jects						
	At a	a minimu	m, a	Notice o	f Intent for a	an Ecological F	Resto	oration Pi	roject	shall ind	clude the	e following:	
		Descrip	ion (of the pro	oject's ecolo	ogical restoration	on go	oals;					
	\boxtimes	The loca	ation	of the E	cological Re	estoration Proje	ject;						
	\boxtimes	Descrip	ion (of the cor	nstruction s	equence for co	omple	eting the	projec	t;			
	A map of the Areas Subject to Protection Under M.G.L. c. 131, § 40, that will be temporarily or permanently altered by the project or include habitat for Rare Species, Habitat of Potential Regional and Statewide Importance, eel grass beds, or Shellfish Suitability Areas.												
\boxtimes	The method for BVW and other resource area boundary delineations (MassDEP BVW Field Data Form(s), Determination of Applicability, Order of Resource Area Delineation, etc.) is attached with documentation methodology.												
		Drawing a. Plan Tit		: - L-0, E0	C-1 & EC-2,	, SP-1 & SP-2,	, L-1 ¹	thru L-8 (Apper	ndix F)			
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		b. Prepare	d by					Signed and					
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Minimum Red	uired Documents	(310 CMR 10.12))
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	An evaluation of any flood impacts that may affect the built environment, including without limitation, buildings, wells, septic systems, roads or other man-made structures or infrastructure as well as any proposed flood impact mitigation measures;
\boxtimes	A plan for invasive species prevention and control;
\boxtimes	The Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program written determination in accordance with 310 CMR 10.11(2), if needed;
	Any Time of Year restrictions and/or other conditions recommended by the Division of Marine Fisheries or the Division of Fisheries and Wildlife in accordance with 310 CMR 10.11(3), (4), (5), if needed;
\boxtimes	Proof that notice was published in the Environmental Monitor as required by 310 CMR 10.11(1;
	A certification by the applicant under the penalties of perjury that the project meets the eligibility criteria set forth in 310 CMR 10.13;
	If the Ecological Restoration Project involves the construction, repair, replacement or expansion of infrastructure, an operation and maintenance plan to ensure that the infrastructure will continue to function as designed;
	If the project involves dredging of 100 cubic yards or more or dredging of any amount in an Outstanding Resource Water, a Water Quality Certification issued by the Department pursuant to 314 CMR 9.00;
	If the Ecological Restoration Project involves work on a stream crossing, information sufficient to make the showing required by 310 CMR 10.24(10) for work in a coastal resource area and 310 CMR 10.53(8) for work in an inland resource area; and
	If the Ecological Restoration Project involves work on a stream crossing, baseline photo-points that capture longitudinal views of the crossing inlet, the crossing outlet and the upstream and downstream channel beds during low flow conditions. The latitude and longitude coordinates of the photo-points shall be included in the baseline data.
	This project is subject to provisions of the MassDEP Stormwater Management Standards. A copy of the Stormwater Report as required by the Stormwater Management Standards per 310 CMR $10.05(6)(k)$ -(q) is attached.
	Provide information as the whether the project has the potential to impact private water supply wells including agricultural or aquacultural wells or surface water withdrawal points.



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Certification that the Ecological Restoration Project Meets the Eligibility Criteria

I hereby certify under penalties of perjury that the Ecological Restoration Project Notice of Intent application does not meet the Eligibility criteria for an Ecological Restoration Order of Conditions set forth in 310 CMR 10.13, but does meet the Eligibility Criteria for a Ecological Restoration Limited Project set forth in 10.24(8) or 10.53(4) whichever is applicable. I certify that I am familiar with the information contained in the application, and that to the best of my knowledge and belief such information is true, complete, and accurate. I further certify that I possess the authority to undertake the proposed activities.

Signature of Applicant or Authorized Agent

Jon Marshall, Director of Recreation Frinted Name of Applicant or Authorized Agent

The certification must be signed by the applicant; however, it may be signed by a duly authorized agent (named in Item 2) if this form is accompanied by a statement by the applicant designating the agent and agreeing to furnish upon request, supplemental information in support of the application.

SPY POND EDGE PROTECTION AND EROSION CONTROL PROJECT AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

I, <u>Duke Bitsko</u>, being duly sworn, do hereby state as follows: on July 18, 2018, I mailed a "Notification to Abutters" in compliance with the second paragraph of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 131, s.40, the DEP Guide to Abutter Notification dated April 8, 1994, and the Arlington Wetlands Protection Bylaw, Title V, Article 8 of the Town of Arlington Bylaws in connection with the following matter:

An Ecological Restoration Limited Project Notice of Intent filed under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (M.G.L., Chapter 131, s.40) by Hatch Associates Consultants, Inc., on behalf of the Applicant, the Town of Arlington, with the Conservation Commission on July 18, 2018 for the properties located at Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, Spring Valley, and area west of the Boys and Girls Club in Arlington, Massachusetts.

The form of the notification, and a list of the abutters to whom it was provided and their addresses, are attached to this Affidavit of Service.

Signed under the pains and penalties of perjury, this 18th day of July 2018,

Duke Bitsko, PLA

Director, Interdisciplinary Design Hatch Associates Consultants, Inc.

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SPY POND EDGE PROTECTION AND EROSION CONTROL PROJECT LETTER TO ABUTTERS



July 18, 2018

Reference: H/355321/001,0030

CERTIFIED MAIL

RE:

Ecological Restoration Limited Project Notice of Intent Application

Spy Pond Edge Protection & Erosion Control Project

Assessor's Map 9, Block 3 - Parcel 1 and 3, Block 4 - Parcel 1 and Map 121, Block 6 - Parcel 2

Arlington, MA

Dear Abutter,

On behalf of the Applicant, Arlington Parks and Recreation Commission, Hatch Associates Consultants, Inc. (Hatch) has filed an Ecological Restoration Limited Project Notice of Intent (NOI) Application with the Arlington Conservation Commission for the proposed bank stabilization and ecological restoration activities on the Town-owned properties located at Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, Spring Valley Street, and area west of the Boys and Girls Club.

The Ecological Restoration Limited Project NOI Application and accompanying site plans are available for review by the public at the Arlington Conservation Commission. The Public Hearing will be held in the second floor conference room of the Town Hall Annex, 730 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington on August 2, 2018 beginning at 8:15 pm, in accordance with the provisions of the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (MGL Chapter 131, Section 40), its implementing Regulations (310 CMR 10.00), and the Town of Arlington Bylaws Article 8, Bylaw for Wetland Protection. Further information regarding this application will be published at least five (5) business days in advance in The Arlington Advocate and will also be posted at least 48 hours in advance in the Arlington Town Hall.

Please do not hesitate to review the materials and/or attend the public hearing should you have questions or comments about the proposed project.

Respectfully,

HATCH

Duke Bitsko, PLA Principle-in-Charge

Enclosure

SPY POND EDGE PROTECTION AND EROSION CONTROL PROJECT ABUTTER NOTIFICATION FORM

Notification to Abutters Under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act And Arlington Wetlands Protection Bylaw

In accordance with the second paragraph of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 131, Section 40, and the Arlington Wetlands Protection Bylaw, you are hereby notified of the following:

The Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing in the second floor conference room of the Town Hall Annex, 730 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington on August 2, 2018 beginning at 8:15 pm in accordance with the provisions of the Mass. Wetlands Protection Act (M.G.L. Ch. 131, s. 40, as amended) and the Town of Arlington Bylaws Article 8, Bylaw for Wetland Protection, for an Ecological Restoration Limited Project Notice of Intent from the Arlington Parks and Recreation Commission, for the bank stabilization and ecological restoration at Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, Spring Valley Street, and area west of the Boys and Girls Club, within 100 feet of a wetland on Assessor's Map 9, Block 3-Parcel 1 and 3, Block 4-Parcel 1 and Map 121, Block 6-Parcel 2.

A copy of the application and accompanying plans are available for inspection Mon. – Thurs. 8am-4pm and Fri. 8am-noon at the Conservation Commission office, first floor of the Town Hall Annex, 730 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington, MA 02476.

For more information call the applicant's representative at 978-224-3123 or Arlington Conservation Commission at 781-316-3012, or the DEP Northeast Regional Office at 978-694-3200.

NOTE: Notice of the Public Hearing will be published at least five (5) business days in advance in *The Arlington Advocate* and will also be posted at least 48 hours in advance in the Arlington Town Hall.

SPY POND EDGE PROTECTION AND EROSION CONTROL PROJECT CERTIFIED LIST OF ABUTTERS

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P.O. BOX 1039 ARLINGTON, MA 02474			
Prop ID: 9-2-16 Prop Location: 41 WYMAN TERR Arlington, MA Owner: FELTIN GEORGE M Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 41 WYMAN TERRACE ARLINGTON, MA 02474			
Prop ID: 9-2-22 Prop Location: 324 MASS AVE Arlington, MA Owner: DE VINCENT ARTHUR TRS-ETAL Co-Owner: C/O WALGREEN CO. #01864 Mailing Address: PO BOX 1159 REAL ESTATE TAX DEPT DEERFIELD, IL 60015			
Prop ID: 9-2-30 Prop Location: 31 LINWOOD ST Arlington, MA Owner: BAKER WILLA B Co-Owner: MILLER MICHAEL A Mailing Address: 31 LINWOOD ST ARLINGTON, MA 02474			
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Prop ID: 10-5-9

Prop Location: 56 POND LN Arlington, MA

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Owner: ARLINGTON ELKS BLDG CORP Co-Owner: Mailing Address: **56 POND LANE** ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 10.A-5-1 Prop Location: 46-48 POND LN UNIT 1 Arlington, MA Owner: MORRISON LAI-KUEN & DONALD M Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 46 POND LN UNIT 1 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 10.A-5-2 Prop Location: 46-48 POND LN UNIT 2 Arlington, MA Owner: RUSSELL KAREN J Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 46 POND LANE UNIT 2 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 121-7-1 Prop Location: 60 POND LN Arlington, MA Owner: ARLINGTON BOYS CLUB INC Co-Owner: Mailing Address: **60 POND LANE** ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop (D: 9-2-11 Prop Location: 21 WYMAN TERR Arlington, MA Owner: SPY POND LLC Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 4501 SOUTH OCEAN BLVD #D8 PALM BEACH, FL 33480 Prop ID: 9-2-12 Prop Location: 25-27 WYMAN TERR Arlington, MA

Owner: KORMANOS ANASTASIA H

Co-Owner: TRUSTEES/A. KORMANOS TRUST

Mailing Address:

49 CHUCKIES WAY TEWKSBURY, MA 01876
Prop ID: 9-2-13 Prop Location: 29 WYMAN TERR Arlington, MA Owner: CRONIN JOHN STEVENETAL Co-Owner: CRONIN MARGARET E Mailing Address: 29 WYMAN TERR ARLINGTON, MA 02474
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Prop Location: 33 WYMAN TERR Arlington, MA Owner: CRONIN ELSIE C Co-Owner: Mailing Address:
33 WYMAN TERR ARLINGTON, MA 02474
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Co-Owner: MILLER MICHAEL A
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Prop Location: 47 WYMAN TERR UNIT 1 Arlington, MA

Owner: HEBERT LARENA ANN/TR & Co-Owner: JOHNSON LINDA ANN/TR

Mailing Address:

47 WYMAN TERRACE #1 ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 9.A-2-18

Prop Location: 47 WYMAN TERR UNIT 2 Arlington, MA

Owner: SALZER NANCY L

Co-Owner: Mailing Address:

> 47 WYMAN TERRACE #2 ARLINGTON, MA 02474

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Owner: BRAIDA LOUIS D Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #105 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-106 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 106 Arlington, MA Owner: PALMER WENDY & Co-Owner: PALMER ALEXANDER W Mailing Address: PO BOX 3341 OAK BLUFFS, MA 02557 Prop ID: 20.A-4-107 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 107 Arlington, MA Owner: BRAIDA LOUIS D Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD **UNIT 105** ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-108 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 108 Arlington, MA Owner: HUANG ADRIAN Co-Owner: ALEXANDER ROBERT BRUCE Mailing Address: 53 PAUL REVERE RD LEXINGTON, MA 02421 Prop ID: 20.A-4-109 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 109 Arlington, MA Owner: BETTENCOURT MARIO & PAULA Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 43 AMSDEN STREET ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 20.A-4-110

Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 110 Arlington, MA

Owner: JOHNSON DEREK S

Co-Owner: Mailing Address:

2393 LAKE SHORE ROAD #36 GILFORD, NH 03249	
Prop ID: 20.A-4-201 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD L Owner: FENNER MARGARET L Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #201 ARLINGTON, MA 02474	JN)T 201 Arlington, MA
Prop ID: 20.A-4-202 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD I Owner: SULLIVAN BRENDAN Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 319 LAKE STREET ARLINGTON, MA 02476	UNIT 202 Arlington, MA
Prop ID: 20.A-4-203 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD Owner: KANDILIAN FAGHARCH Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 27 ESTABROOK RD LEXINGTON, MA 02421	- UNIT 203 Arlington, MA
Prop ID: 20.A-4-204 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD Owner: MUJAGIC NADIJA Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 935 BROADWAY UNIT 1 SOMERVILLE, MA 02144	- UNIT 204 Arlington, MA
Prop ID: 20.A-4-205 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD Owner: COLEMAN DIANA T Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 1 RICHDALE AVE UNIT 12	

Prop ID: 20.A-4-206 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 206 Arlington, MA Owner: YANG XIAOQING Co-Owner: WU YECHENG Mailing Address: **5 APPLETREE LN** LEXINGTON, MA 02420 Prop ID: 20.A-4-207 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 207 Arlington, MA Owner: COLEMAN DIANA T Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 1 RICHDALE AVE UNIT 12 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02140 Prop ID: 20.A-4-208 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 208 Arlington, MA Owner: WALSH ADELE C /TRUSTEE Co-Owner: WALSH REALTY TRUST Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #208 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-209 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 209 Arlington, MA Owner: REARDON WILLIAM F JR/TRUSTEE Co-Owner: 34-209 REALTY TRUST Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 209 ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 20.A-4-210

Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 210 Arlington, MA

Owner: THOMPSON KEVIN F

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #210 ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 20.A-4-301

Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 301 Arlington, MA

Owner: JOLKOVSKI ROBERT M Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #301 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-302 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 302 Arlington, MA Owner: YANUSHPOLSKY MIRAM FEIGA & Co-Owner: JOSEPH & SHAUMYAN GALINA/TR Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #302 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-303 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 303 Arlington, MA Owner: NAGAYAMA KEIKO Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON RD #303 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-304 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 304 Arlington, MA Owner: POURALI SHAHRAM Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #304 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-305 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 305 Arlington, MA Owner: LANNOM ANITA C/TRUSTEE Co-Owner: ACL REALTY TRUST Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #305 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-306 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 306 Arlington, MA Owner: BRETON JOSEPH F & JOAN M Co-Owner: Mailing Address:

24 MIDLAND DRIVE WALTHAM, MA 02451 Prop ID: 20.A-4-307 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 307 Arlington, MA Owner: MOLINA LIZA Co-Owner: PHILLIPS THOMAS Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON RD # 307 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-308 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 308 Arlington, MA Owner: BYRON PAMELA D Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #308 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-309 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 309 Arlington, MA Owner: HARRINGTON MARY Co-Owner: LIFE ESTATE Mailing Address: 28 CORNELL ST C/O EILEEN KIRK ROSLINDALE, MA 02131

Prop ID: 20.A-4-310

Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 310 Arlington, MA

Owner: THE 2005 C & W LLC

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 1 CHURCHILL PL ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 20.A-4-401

Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 401 Arlington, MA

Owner: BLUMENTHAL ELIZABETH A

Co-Owner: Mailing Address:

34 HAMILTON ROAD #401 ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 20.A-4-402 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 402 Arlington, MA Owner: LOPRESTE FRANK A JR Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 32 MCGINNESS WAY BILLERICA, MA 01821
Prop ID: 20.A-4-403 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 403 Arlington, MA Owner: FENNER MARGARET Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON RD # 201 ARLINGTON, MA 022474
Prop ID: 20.A-4-404 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 404 Arlington, MA Owner: CORNELL JOANNE Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #404 ARLINGTON, MA 02474
Prop ID: 20.A-4-405 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 405 Arlington, MA Owner: MIGHILL CHARLES TETAL Co-Owner: GILSON CHARLOTTE Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #405 ARLINGTON, MA 02474
Prop ID: 20.A-4-406 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 406 Arlington, MA Owner: DADUSE SARAH Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #406 ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 20,A-4-407 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 407 Arlington, MA Owner: LOW UTA MARION Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #407 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-408 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 408 Arlington, MA Owner: JAMES B NUTTER & COMPANY Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 4153 BROADWAY PO BOX 10346 KANSAS CITY, MO 64171 Prop ID: 20.A-4-409 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 409 Arlington, MA Owner: KLEPPNER PAUL S Co-Owner: MUI LINDA P Mailing Address: 213 FOLLEN ROAD LEXINGTON, MA 02421 Prop ID: 20.A-4-410 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 410 Arlington, MA Owner: ROBERTS CHRISTINA Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD UNIT 410 ARLINGTON, MA 02476 Prop ID: 20.A-4-501 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 501 Arlington, MA Owner: ZHAO QIN Co-Owner: YU BEI Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #501

ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 20.A-4-502

Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 502 Arlington, MA

Owner: HARE BRIAN J

Co-Owner: NARDONE JULIE M Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON RD #502 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-503 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 503 Arlington, MA Owner: SHUTE PRISCILLA E Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #503 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-504 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 504 Arlington, MA Owner: FALLER LINA Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #504 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-505 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 505 Arlington, MA Owner: FACHER JEROME P Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #505 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-506 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 506 Arlington, MA Owner: EWINS GEORGE D JR ETAL /TRS Co-Owner: ELIZABETH I EWINS SUPPLEMENTAL Mailing Address: 2979 GREENBUSH RD CHARLOTTE, VT 05445 Prop ID: 20.A-4-507 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 507 Arlington, MA Owner: ANDERSON ERIC HALL Co-Owner:

Mailing Address:

34 HAMILTON ROAD #507 ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 20.A-4-508 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 508 Arlington, MA Owner: RAPARTHI LALITHA Co-Owner: RAPARTI SWAYAMBHU Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 508 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-509 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 509 Arlington, MA Owner: FESKO COLLEENE TRUSTEE Co-Owner: 34 HAMILTON ROAD TRUST Mailing Address: 34 HAMILTON ROAD #509 ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 20.A-4-510 Prop Location: 34 HAMILTON RD UNIT 510 Arlington, MA Owner: JUROW KATHLEEN A Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 12 CARVER STREET SOMERVILLE, MA 02143 Prop ID: 8-2-1 Prop Location: 26-28 LINWOOD ST Arlington, MA Owner: CONANT-HENSON DEBORAH Co-Owner: Mailing Address: P.O. BOX 1039 ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 8-2-3

Prop Location: 28 BELKNAP ST Arlington, MA

Owner: SCHIZAS KOSTAS J & PATTI

Co-Owner: TRS/KOSTTAS & PATTI SCHIZAS TR

Mailing Address: 30 BELKNAP ST ARLINGTON, MA 02474

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Prop ID: 8-2-37 Prop Location: 11 MARION CIR Arlington, MA Owner: MASSE DAVID W & PATRICIA A Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 11 MARION CIRCLE ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 8-2-4 Prop Location: 22-24 BELKNAP ST Arlington, MA Owner: PERRY ALLYNE T Co-Owner: PERRY MICHAEL D Mailing Address: 22 BELKNAP ST ARLINGTON, MA 02474 Prop ID: 8-2-5 Prop Location: 18 BELKNAP ST Arlington, MA Owner: CALIENDO ANTHONY R--ETAL Co-Owner: CALIENDO MARY JANE TRS Mailing Address: 1520 MASS AVE ARLINGTON, MA 02476 Prop ID: 9-3-3 Prop Location: 0-LOT POND LN Arlington, MA Owner: TOWN OF ARLINGTON PARK Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 730 MASS AVE ARLINGTON, MA 02476 Prop ID: 9.A-2-27.A Prop Location: 27 LINWOOD ST UNIT 27 Arlington, MA Owner: SHRESTHA BIJAYA & Co-Owner: CHAND-SHRESTHA NITU Mailing Address: 27 LINWOOD ST ARLINGTON, MA 02474

Prop ID: 9.A-2-29

Prop Location: 29 LINWOOD ST UNIT 29 Arlington, MA

Owner: SULLIVAN BRIAN TRUSTEE

Co-Owner: SULLIVAN LINWOOD TRUST

Mailing Address:

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Owner: HOWARD ROBERT L & PETER M/TRS
Co-Owner: RPK NOMINEE TRUST
Mailing Address:
39 WELLINGTON ST #39
ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 121-4-9.B

Prop Location: 39 WELLINGTON ST UNIT B Arlington, MA

Owner: GUTHRIE PATRICK Co-Owner: TABERNER AIMEE

Mailing Address:

41 WELLINGTON ST ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 121-7-1

Prop Location: 60 POND LN Arlington, MA Owner: ARLINGTON BOYS CLUB INC

Co-Owner: Mailing Address; 60 POND LANE ARLINGTON, MA 02474

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Prop ID: 121.A-4-37.A

Prop Location: 37-A WELLINGTON ST UNIT 1 Arlington, MA

Owner: STORZ KAREN A &

Co-Owner: BARTHELMY WILLIAM F

Mailing Address:

37A WELLINGTON ST UNIT 1 ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 121.A-4-37.B

Prop Location: 37-B WELLINGTON ST UNIT 2 Arlington, MA

Owner: HOER JUDITH F & TAI NAOYUKI

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 378 WELLING

37B WELLINGTON ST UNIT 2 ARLINGTON, MA 02476 **Abutters List**

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Subject Property ID: 122-5-16.B

Search Distance: 100 Feet

Prop ID: 121-1-7

Prop Location: 22 LAKEVIEW Arlington, MA

Owner: 22 LAKEVIEW LLC

Co-Owner: Mailing Address:

31 PHILEMON STREET ARLINGTON, MA 02474

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Prop ID: 121-1-8

Prop Location: 24-26 LAKEVIEW Arlington, MA

Owner: BOWES ROBERT E

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 26 LAKEVIEW

ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 121-1-9

Prop Location: 0-LOT LAKEVIEW Arlington, MA

Owner: WADSWORTH MARY DEIRDRE

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 25 PEABODY RD ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 121-2-10

Prop Location: 36 PEABODY RD Arlington, MA

Owner: JESSEN IAN Co-Owner: HATCH ELIZA Mailing Address: 36 PEABODY RD

ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 122-4-10

Prop Location: 0-LOT SPRING VALLEY Arlington, MA

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Owner: JARDINE ALICE A /TRUSTEE Co-Owner: ALICE A JARDINE TRUST

Mailing Address: 21 SPRING VALLEY ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 122-4-13.A

Prop Location: 25 SPRING VALLEY Arlington, MA

Owner: CARTER E EUGENE--ETAL Co-Owner: RITA RODRIGUEZ

Mailing Address:

3075 ORDWAY ST N W WASHINGTON, DC 20008

Prop ID: 122-4-8.B

Prop Location: 17 SPRING VALLEY Arlington, MA

Owner: STIFFLER DANA E

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 17 SPRING VALLEY ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 122-4-9

Prop Location: 21 SPRING VALLEY Arlington, MA

Owner: JARDINE ALICE A /TRUSTEE Co-Owner: ALICE A JARDINE TRUST

Mailing Address: 21 SPRING VALLEY ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 122-5-15

Prop Location: 17 LAKEVIEW Arlington, MA Owner: JENNINGS MATTHEW S & KATHRYN M

Co-Owner: Mailing Address: 17 LAKEVIEW AVE ARLINGTON, MA 02476

Prop ID: 122-5-17

Prop Location: 17-1/2 LAKEVIEW Arlington, MA

Owner: BOUDREAU MARK E & Co-Owner: ZEILER KATHRYN M

Mailing Address:

17 1/2 LAKEVIEW ARLINGTON, MA 02476

SPY POND EDGE PROTECTION AND EROSION CONTROL PROJECT LEGAL NOTICE CHARGE AUTHORIZATION

LEGAL NOTICE CHARGE AUTHORIZATION

TO: legals@wickedlocal.com

I hereby authorize Community Newspapers to bill me directly for the legal notice to be published in the Arlington Advocate newspaper on _______ for a public hearing with the Arlington Conservation Commission to review a project at the following location:

Thank you.

Signed:

Duke Bitsko, PLA
Director, Interdisciplinary Design
Hatch Associates Consultants, Inc.

Send bill to:

Hatch

27 Congress Street, Suite 508

Salem, MA 01970 Phone: 978-224-3123

NOTICE OF INTENT APPLICATION REPORT SECTION 1: INTRODUCTION

1.1 PROJECT DESCRIPTION

On behalf of the Arlington Park and Recreation Commission, Hatch Associates Consultants, Inc. (Hatch) is filing this Notice of Intent Application (NOI) with the Arlington Conservation Commission for a shoreline ecological restoration project at Town-owned properties along Spy Pond (the Site). The four locations include Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, the terminus of Spring Valley Street, and the area west of the Boys and Girls Club. The total proposed project limits are approximately 1.12 acres with approximately 0.69 acres of earth disturbance. The applicant proposes to restore degraded and heavily eroded areas of Inland Bank by using bioengineered bank stabilization treatments, enhancement plantings, select invasive species management, green infrastructure stormwater management, and installing two timber overlook structures on helical pier footings to focus recreational use of the Site as part of the restorative effort and minimize disruption to restored habitat. Select invasive species control and planting of native wetland and upland plant species will improve habitat and increase plant diversity.

A separate trail resurfacing project undertaken by the Arlington Park and Recreation Commission will take place at a similar time as the shoreline restoration project. While it is not included as part of this NOI, this trail project will be filed as a Request for Determination of Applicability (RDA) and includes replacing the existing impervious stabilized aggregate surface with flexible porous pavement at Spy Pond Park, including the paths to the two timber overlooks proposed herein.

A seasonal floating dock with gangway and flexible porous pavement walkway in Spy Pond Park is in the design phase. It has been permitted by the Arlington Board of Selectmen on July 16, 2018 under Section 10A. The future dock will be located between the existing boat ramp and the North Beach. It will be situated to avoid any impact to the existing Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge habitat. The outline of the location can be found on L-1 in Appendix F. The dock with gangway and associated walkway are not included as part of this NOI.

The project site contains resource areas regulated under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (M.G.L. c. 131, s. 40, the Act) and its implementing Regulations (310 CMR 10.00, the Act Regulations), and the Town of Arlington Wetland Protection Bylaw (Article 8, the Bylaw) and its implementing Regulations (the Bylaw Regulations). They include Inland Bank, Bordering Vegetated Wetland (BVW), Land Under Water Bodies and Waterways (LUW, Spy Pond), and Bordering Land Subject to Flooding (BLSF). All the proposed activities occur within Bank to Spy Pond and the 100-foot Buffer Zone, with a small portion occurring within BVW, LUW, and BLSF.

As part of this filing, the Applicant proposes to implement erosion controls to protect adjacent resource areas. The existing conditions and proposed activates are depicted on the *Existing Conditions & Resource Area Plan, Site Preparation Plan, Site Plan, Plan Enlargements*, and *Site Details*, prepared by Hatch (Appendix F, attached).

NOTICE OF INTENT APPLICATION REPORT SECTION 2: GENERAL SITE DESCRIPTION

Spy Pond is a 103-acre kettle hole pond classified as a Great Pond located north of Route 2 in Arlington, MA. The four project locations along the pond are at Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, Spring Valley, and the area west of the Boys and Girls Club. The area west of Boys and Girls Club is at the most northern end of the pond where Wellington Street and the Pond Lane Extension meet. Spy Pond Park is to the northeast bounded by Pond Lane to the north, the Minuteman Commuter Bikeway to the east, Linwood Street to the south and the pond to the west. Scannell Field is to the south of Linwood Street adjacent to Hamilton Road and the Spy Pond Condominium Complex. Spring Valley Street is to the northwest side of the pond. Spring Valley is a steep, narrow two-way road off Pleasant Street that dead-ends about 10 feet from Spy Pond.

The pond has seen an increase in use over the past decade with the renovation work at Spy Pond Park and is a major focal point for the community. There are, however areas where uncontrolled use and stormwater runoff have created deteriorating conditions that impact water quality and long-term sustainability. Poor water quality and erosion along the Bank and slopes are an ongoing concern.

2.1 TOPOGRAPHY

The Bank along Scannell Field, the area west of Boy and Girls Club, and Spring Valley Street is unstable with a loss of stabilizing vegetation, uncontrolled human use, and steep slopes. Spring Valley and Scannell Field also have uncontrolled stormwater runoff that sheets flow over the Bank into the pond contributing to the erosion. Spy Pond Park's Bank is more stable, but there are areas of erosion with scattered areas without vegetation and compacted soils due to controlled human use.

The area west of Boys and Girls Club has a grassed area along the street sidewalk and parking spaces that primarily serve the adjacent Boys and Girls Club. This grass area is above a steep 2:1 slope down to Spy Pond. There is no formal access to the pond and so casual pathways down and across the slope have evolved in several locations over time. These informal access areas are eroding and contributing sediment to the pond.

Spy Pond Park's designated stabilized aggregate pathways provide access to facilities including two small beaches, picnic tables and benches, access points to the water, a children's play area, and a boat ramp. For the most part pedestrians use the defined pathways; however, there are informal pathways that eliminate stabilizing vegetation leading to erosion and, consequently, sedimentation in the pond. When the pond levels are especially low there is also foot traffic within Land Under Waterbodies (LUW). Along the Bank, there is a slight escarpment with no stabilizing tree roots and wave action has eliminated the stabilizing vegetation. There are also a couple of areas where the exposed tree roots along the Bank are being undercut by wave action. There are nine separate planting beds along the slope to the Bank that the Friends of Spy Pond volunteers maintain. The upland areas are ordinary lawn grass mowed regularly by the Recreation Department.

The Bank along Scannell Field varies from 2:1 to nearly vertical in some areas. The area between the Bank and the grass area at the top of the slope by the ball field varies form 3:1 to 2:1. There are no formal pathways that provide access to the water. A chain-link fence separates the ball field from the slope to the water. Numerous informal footpaths have eliminated vegetation exposing the compacted soil to erosion. Old growth trees line the shoreline with extensive root structures providing partial stabilization to the slope and the vertical Bank. In many cases, however, the roots are being

undermined by wave action that has eroded soil beneath the roots. Considerable erosion is occurring along vertical Banks that are not contained by roots.

The Bank at the end of Spring Valley Street is approximately 1:1 due to a rainfall event that produced high energy sheet flow down the paved road undermining and overturning a 30-inch diameter poplar tree that served to stabilize the Bank. The upturned, root ball, approximately eight feet in diameter has created a large, eroding crater in the slope at the water's edge. The fallen tree extends out into the pond for approximately 80 feet, supported by broken limbs.

Refer to the Site Characterization Report in Appendix B for further discussion on the existing conditions and for site photographs.

2.2 DRAINAGE AND WATER ELEVATION

The total watershed area draining to Spy Pond is approximately 964 acres. The entire watershed with one small exception at Menotomy Park drains through 43 separate outfalls into Spy Pond as described in *Spy Pond: A Diagnostic Study 1980-1981* (Division of Water Pollution Control, 1982). High inputs of phosphorous from the stormwater runoff entering the lake have caused the pond to become hypereutrophic.

There are three existing storm drainage outfalls that discharge into the pond in Spy Pond Park. There is one outfall each at the end of Spring Valley Street and at the area west of the Boys and Girls Club. The outfalls at Spy Pond Park have rock aprons in disrepair with missing and shifted rocks exposing filter fabric. The 12-inch outfall near Boys and Girls Club is partially filled with sediment and water. The outfall is ill-defined due to the lack of an endwall and the surrounding vegetation that grown in obscuring it from view.

Stormwater runoff via sheet flow across the ball field at Scannell Field is likely a source of nitrogen and phosphorous contamination in the pond affecting the perennial decline of Spy Pond water quality a contributing to accelerated erosion on the slope.

Uncontrolled stormwater runoff is also a concern at the end of Spring Valley Street. Spring Valley is a steep road that dead-ends about 10 feet from Spy Pond. Runoff from Spring Valley Road is managed by two catch basins that directs that flow through a 24-inch pipe into Spy Pond with no treatment. Downhill from the second catch basin, runoff concentrates in an eroded channel at the base of the slope along the north side of the roadway and flows overland into the pond.

The water elevation at Spy Pond is controlled by an outfall structure on the south end of the pond near Route 2. The outfall structure has three concrete sides and the fourth side is a series of boards. The structure is connected to a 36-inch diameter reinforced concrete discharge pipe. The elevation of the boards or the spillway elevation is approximately 4.2 ft. based on 1929 MDPW datum and 3.4 ft. based on NAVD 88 datum. All subsequent elevations indicated in the report as well as depicted on the plans are in NAVD 88 datum. The ordinary water level and the limit of the Bank is consistent with elevation 3.4 ft. In drought conditions on September 23, 2016, the low water level was observed at 1.6 ft.

2.3 SOILS

Soils map information is available from the Natural Resources Conservation Service Web Soil Survey. Soils at Spring Valley Street are Hinckley loamy sand, 15 to 25 percent slopes, which is classified as Hydrologic Soil Group A. The area west of Boys and Girls Club, Spy Pond Park, and Scannell Field have



Udorthents, loamy. Udorthents are areas from which soil has been excavated and/or deposited due to construction operations. These areas have been disturbed to such an extent that the natural layers of soil are no longer recognizable and are no longer a major factor in determining limitations or capabilities of the land. Other soils information for the site is available from wetland resource investigations conducted for this project. See Appendix A of this report for a discussion of wetland investigations.

2.4 FEMA FLOODPLAIN DESIGNATION

The project area is in Flood Zone X and Zone A based on the *Federal Emergency Management Agency Flood Insurance Map* for the Town of Arlington, Massachusetts (Map Number 25017C0416E and 25017C0417E), effective June 4, 2010. Spy Pond and the area immediately adjacent to it are shown as Flood Zone A. Zone A are areas subject to flooding by the 100-year flood with no base flood elevation determined. Zone X are areas determined to be outside the 0.2% annual chance floodplain. Refer to Figure 2A and 2B in Appendix A and the Plans provided in Appendix F.

2.5 NATURAL HERITAGE AND ENDANGERED SPECIES PROGRAM DESIGNATION

According to the Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program (NHESP) Priority & Estimated Habitats maps (14th Edition Natural Heritage Atlas, August 1, 2017), an area of Priority Habitat of Rare Species exists at Spy Pond (PH 1421) for Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge (*Cyperus engelmannii*). Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge is a Threatened species in Massachusetts. Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge is an annual species found along wet pond shores, which may be muddy, sandy, or pebbly. This species is protected under the *Massachusetts Endangered Species Act* (M.G.L. c. 131A) and its implementing regulations (321 CMR 10.00).

During the first week of October 2017, following approval by NHESP of a Botanical Survey Protocol, Dr. Gregg Moore of Zodiac Ecological, LLC, conducted on site observations of the Engelmann's Umbrellasedge. In Dr. Moore's *Botanical Survey Report* (see Appendix C), he observed a moderate number of individuals of the genus *Cyperus* along sunny, relatively open stretch of sandy and/or muddy shoreline in the Spy Pond Park area. No species of *Cyperus* were observed at Scannell Field, the area west of Boys and Girls Club or at the terminus of Spring Valley Street. Three locations of Engelmann's Umbrellasedge observation occurred at South Beach; a muddy, shallowly sloped shore that is regularly mowed, just north of the Linwood Street cul-de-sac. The other two observations are in sandy soils, again, under an open canopy in a relatively disturbed portion of shoreline just south of the boat ramp and just north of North Beach.

Hatch team members including Dr. Moore and LEC met on-site with Misty-Anne Marold and Karro Frost of NHESP on November 17, 2017 to review the project area and discuss design approaches for the Bank restoration. It was advised by NHESP staff to take a strategic approach to shoreline stabilization. For areas next to known Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge habitat (in general sunny with a gentler slope), the Hatch team was advised to consider other alternatives to coir fascines/regrading that will not alter habitat. Areas that were steep and shady were not considered to be providing habitat for the Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge. This included some of the steeper shoreline areas within the Park, Scannell Field, the area west of Boys and Girls Club, and Spring Valley Street.

Duke Bitsko of Hatch met with Karro Frost and Jesse Leddick of NHESP on June 8, 2018 to review the project plans and details (Appendix F) and discuss construction staging and schedule. Based on the meeting discussion, Hatch developed and alternative plan and section to protect existing Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge areas. The proposed coir fascines along the locations of the observed Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge south of the boat ramp and north of the North Beach were removed from the design.

Granite boulders are proposed to be placed in the LUW, immediately adjacent to the Bank, to reduce foot traffic, protect the existing seedbank in the lower, shallow zones, and reduce wave action.

Refer to Appendix C for the VPRS NHESP Plant Observation Report and Appendix D for documentation of correspondence with NHESP staff.

NOTICE OF INTENT APPLICATION REPORT SECTION 3: PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES

The primary activities involve bank stabilization with bioengineering techniques, enhancement planting in upland and wetland areas, select invasive species management, and construction of green infrastructure stormwater management and installation of two timber overlook structures on helical pier footings. A limited amount of earthwork and grading is associated with each of these activities.

3.1 BANK STABILIZATION

The bank stabilization at Spy Pond involves the placement of coir fascines around the perimeter of the pond and regrading to achieve maximum slopes of 3:1, which will strengthen approximately 1,500 linear feet (If) of bank. The design intent is to place the coir fascine at the ordinary water level of 3.4 ft. NAVD88 to accommodate typical water level fluctuations until root development has been established. A stacked coir fascine system is proposed in areas where 3:1 slopes cannot be achieved. All regraded areas will be densely planted. Goose protection fence will be used in all coir fascine planting areas during establishment to minimize damage associated with foraging.

On Spy Pond, bank stabilization with the addition of riprap and geotextile fabric is proposed in isolated areas for the drainage outfall protection at Spy Pond Park and the area west of the Boys and Girls Club totaling approximately 30 lf.

3.2 UPLAND PLANTINGS

Existing upland areas on the banks of Spy Pond will be cleared of invasive herbaceous species. Infill planting of native tree tubelings, 2 ft. high containerized trees, livestake shrubs, containerized shrubs, and herbaceous plugs will occur in these areas and in areas of existing compacted footpaths and gullies to be scarified and stabilized. Additionally, there are several upland areas of proposed regrading and/or green infrastructure improvements where meadow seeding and tall turf seeding will occur.

3.3 PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES IN WETLAND RESOURCES AREA

This section describes the project plans depiction of the proposed work and landscape improvements to each of the jurisdictional wetland resource areas. The project is designed to avoid or minimize permanent alterations and temporary construction disturbances of all resource areas to the maximum extent practicable. It also is designed to comply with the regulatory performance standards for each resource area by mitigating all unavoidable, permanent and temporary impacts to each resource area. The relative ecological significance of project impacts was considered within the context of protected ecological functions and services, presumed by the WPA to be significant for each resource area.

As an Ecological Restoration Limited Project in accordance with 310 CMR 10.53(4), the Commission has discretionary authority to approve the proposed alterations "that may result in the temporary or permanent loss of Resource Area and/or the conversion of one Resource Area to another when such loss is necessary to the achievement of the project's ecological restoration goals." The type of Ecological Restoration Limited Project is considered "Other Restoration Projects" per 310 CMR 10.53(4)(e)(5) meeting the eligibility criteria set forth in 310 CMR 10.54(4)(a) through(d). The project includes enhancement of Rare Species (Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge) habitat, planting of vegetation to improve habitat value, fill removal and regrading, and invasive species management.

3.3.1 Bank

A total of 1,530 lf of Bank will be restored as part of the project. An estimated 12 lf of this total Bank along Spy Pond will be disturbed during installation of the overlook crossings from land onto the waters of Spy Pond. As described above, these are intended to focus recreational use of the Site as part of the restorative effort and minimize disruption to restored habitat. The remaining Bank will be restored with coir fascine and herbaceous plantings. At the proposed north overlook location, there is an existing stepping stone overlook that will be removed. The Bank underneath the overlook will be restored with coir fascine. At the south overlook location at Scannell Field, the Bank is currently eroded and will be restored with coir fascine. There will be the introduction of shade from the timber overlooks at both locations.

The *de minimis* shading alteration is considered to be ecologically insignificant due to the abundance of shade tolerant vegetation that already exists on or near the Banks. The restoration on the shoreline with coir fascines and plantings will enhance the wildlife habitat and provide additional plant diversity. The project will have no adverse impacts to the wildlife habitat or other protected ecological functions of Bank.

3.3.2 Bordering Vegetated Wetlands

There is a combined 1,400 square feet (sf) of BVW along the Banks of the pond at the area west of Boys and Girls Club and Spy Pond Park. Approximately 85 sf of the total 1,400 sf will be altered as part of the project to repair the existing drainage outfalls described above. The rock aprons will have a beneficial impact by repairing existing eroded gravel, rock, sediment areas. Well over 85 sf of in-kind restoration is proposed with a total of 375 sf of BVW planting enhancement at the coir fascines and revegetation of footpaths within the BVW.

3.3.3 Land under Water Bodies (LUW)

The installation of the helical piers for the two overlooks, the rock aprons at the three drainage outfalls, and the addition of boulders to enhance the Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge habitat will permanently alter approximately 290 square feet of LUW without impairing the ability of Spy Pond to continue providing the ecological functions and values of LUW.

As an Ecological Restoration Limited Project, the Commission has discretionary authority to approve the proposed alteration of 290 square feet of LUW. The work is also permitted per the limited project provisions of 310 CMR 10.53(3)(k), "for the routine maintenance and repair of road drainage structures including culverts and catch basins, drainage easements, ditches, watercourse and artificial water conveyances to insure flow capacities" and 310 CMR 10.53(3)(l), for "construction, reconstruction, operation or maintenance of water dependent uses."

The presumption of significance for the ecological functions of LUW at 310 CMR 10.56(1) is fully applicable to Spy Pond. The project will fully conform to performance standards for LUW at 310 CMR 10.56(3) and (4), despite permanently altering more than 290 sf, because the proposed alteration will not impair the:

- water carrying capacity of the pond;
- ground and surface water quality;
- capacity to provide breeding habitat, escape cover and food for fisheries; and
- capacity to provide important wildlife habitat functions.

The installation of the helical pier system and the addition of boulders for enhancement of Rare Species habitat represent a *de minimis* displacement of flood storage from the pond, compensatory replacement of lost flood storage capacity is not needed to meet the performance standards for LUW. Also, the proposed reconstruction of the rock aprons for the existing drainage outfalls, will benefit the water quality and overall health of the pond by reducing pond erosion.

Short term impacts of the project on LUW will include temporary disturbances. Amphibians, fish, or waterfowl within the installation areas can escape temporary construction disturbances by moving landward into the open water of the pond interior.

3.3.4 Bordering Land Subject to Flooding

The presumption of significance for protected ecological functions of BLSF at 310 CMR 10.57(3) is applicable to the undeveloped floodplain habitats around Spy Pond but not to paved areas and other developed floodplains that lack these functions. Project work will occur within a total of 17,300 sf of BLSF, including, landscaped portions of both the 100-year floodplain. The 10-year, "lower floodplain" portions of BLSF, presumed to serve the wildlife habitat functions described in 310 CMR 10.57(1)(a)3, will not be adversely affected, but rather enhanced in several areas by native plantings.

The installation of the helical pier system and the addition of boulders for enhancement of Rare Species habitat represent a *de minimis* displacement of flood storage from the BLSF, approximately 39 cubic feet of flood storage will be lost. Approximately 360 cf of flood storage will be replaced, see Table 5-1. The flood storage lost and replaced is due to the following activity:

- Removal of existing stone boulders at an overlook and its replacement with a new timber overlook (north) with helical piers resulting in a removal of material in BLSF in Spy Pond Park (north)
- Regrading and removal of fill material at a new timber overlook in Scannell Field (south) with helical piers resulting in removal of material in BLSF
- Regrading and removal of fill material resulting in removal of material in BLSF at Spring Valley
 Street to reduce steep slope and stabilize the slope
- Placement of boulders down gradient of the Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge habitat that will increase the material in the BLSF.

TABLE 5-1 BORDERING LAND SUBJECT TO FLOODING - FLOOD STORAGE SUMMARY				
Elevation (ft., NAVD88)	Incremental Volume of Fill (cubic feet)	Incremental Volume of Excavation (cubic feet)	Net (cubic feet)	
3.4-4	23	23	0	
4-5	16	79	-63	
5-6	0	117	-117	
6-7	0	88	-88	
7-8	0	43	-43	
8-9	0	10	-10	
Total	39	360	-321	

Other than the work described above, permanent alteration of BLSF will include improvements of to reduce erosion and sedimentation, while enhancing the habitats of the BLSF. The proposed landscape improvements will revegetate compacted and eroded footpaths and slopes with native plantings or structures already located within BLSF, stabilizing and enhancing the ecological value of these areas, so there will be no net loss of BLSF. Beneficial ecological impacts to the BLSF also will result from installation of native plantings to enhance the wildlife habitat functions of the lower floodplain. The project will fully conform to the presumption of significance and performance standards for BLSF at 310 CMR 10.57(3) and (4)a, such as not adversely impacting wildlife habitat. The project thus will conform to the performance standard for the flood storage functions of BLSF set forth at 310 CMR 10.57(4)a. Site drainage improvements with the addition of a vegetated swale at Scannell, which will occur within a portion of the BLSF will to reduce erosion and runoff of sediment laden water into the pond and will also stabilize and help preserve ecological functions of BLSF.

3.3.5 Buffer Zone

None of the proposed work within the BZ will adversely affect any of the wetland resource areas within or downstream of the project site. In fact, since plantings of native vegetation such as those proposed within the BZ represent beneficial impacts due to ecological improvements of existing habitat, such plantings have been exempted from regulation under the WPA, as one of the minor BZ activities identified in 310 CMR 10.02(2)(b)1(d). Replacement of existing chain-link fence at Scannell Field and installation of timber guiderail at the area west of Boys and Girls Club and Spring Valley Street and the addition of limited fencing at Spy Pond Park within the BZ are also exempt from the regulations as long as it will not constitute a barrier to wildlife movement. Any lawn areas seeded will not be new areas, but areas reseeded for restoration purposes due to the proposed work disturbances. New meadow and no-mow turf grasses are proposed in areas that are currently vegetated with lawn or paved such as Spring Valley Street, the area west of Boys and Girls Club and Scannell Field. Three existing trees at Scannell Field will be removed as part of the project for the construction of the south overlook. One 20-inch Norway Maple has already been placed on the Town's removal list due to its poor condition. The other two trees are a 22-inch silver maple and an 18-inch Norway Maple. These three trees will be replaced with six, two-foot height trees and thirty tree tubelings throughout the Site.

3.3.6 Climate Change Resiliency

The project shall meet the requirements of Section 31 of the Town of Arlington Wetland Protection Regulations to promote climate change resilience to protect and promote resource area values. The project shoreline improvements with coir fascines and increased vegetation as well as upland green infrastructure improvement including a grass swale and bioretention basins will result in Spy Pond being more resilient during larger storm events. Stormwater surface runoff will be improved as part of this project with the removal of impervious area at the terminus of Spring Valley Street and the addition of tall turf and meadow grass at the area west of Boys and Girls Club and Scannell Field. The resiliency of the wildlife habitat will be improved with the select removal of invasive species, see Section 3.4 below and the addition of more native enhancement plantings.

3.4 TARGETED INVASIVE REMOVAL PLAN

The proposed plan identified below addresses the most pressing species of concern, in terms of both benefit and detriment to the Spy Pond project area. Vegetation targeted for control and removal falls into one of the following categories, as described below: Nuisance and Invasive.

3.4.1 Nuisance (or Noxious) Vegetation

This category includes any vegetation that could potentially cause problems to the public, Town of Arlington employees, or maintenance crews. The overwhelming plant to be controlled in this instance is poison ivy (*Toxicodendron radicans*). Poison ivy is identified to be removed in Planting Bed 2, closest to the South Beach area.

3.4.2 Invasive Vegetation

Invasive vegetation typically consists of introduced plants that have spread from gardens and agricultural areas into the wild, where they pose problems for the natural environment. Typically, invasive plants are non-native, and generally there are no local diseases or pests to control them. Invasives reproduce and spread quickly, and thrive in disturbed conditions, outcompeting and displacing native species. This reduces biodiversity, because as the native plants disappear, so also do the insects and animals which depend on them for food and habitat.

Invasive species to be removed are identified below and derive from the Massachusetts Invasive Plant Advisory Group's (MIPAG) list of Invasive Species in Massachusetts. All the invasive species identified below will be monitored and controlled as part of this project (see Drawings SP-1 and SP-2 for specific locations).

Trees:

Acer platanoides (Norway maple) – under 2" dbh only Ailanthus altissima (Tree of heaven) – under 2" dbh only

Shrubs:

Euonymus alatus (Winged euonymus; Burning bush)
Frangula alnus (European buckthorn; Glossy buckthorn)
Polygonum cuspidatum (Japanese knotweed; Mexican bamboo)
Rosa multiflora (Multiflora rose)

Vines:

Celastrus orbiculatus (Oriental bittersweet; Asiatic bittersweet)

Herbs:

Alliaria petiolata (Garlic mustard)

Japanese knotweed (*Polygonum cuspidatum*) is especially virulent and can be further spread by some methods of removal; eradication can take several years and is best attempted by integrating several removal methods.

3.4.3 Integrated Management Strategies

The proposed invasive species management program establishes an integrated approach that employs best management practices to create optimal conditions for plants and native plant communities, while eliminating detrimental species. Our plan incorporates:

- 1. Cultural practices including preservation and restoration plantings
- 2. Mechanical control mowing, hand cutting, selective trimming, etc.
- 3. Chemical control low volume, cut-stem herbicide treatments

Each one of these methods has benefits and impacts, and each by itself will not work effectively for long term vegetation management. When these methods are integrated, they complement one another in terms of both effectiveness and minimization of environmental impacts. The Table 5-2 below outlines the control methods proposed for each invasive species targeted within the project area.

TABLE 5-2				
INVASIVE SPECIES MANAGEMENT PROGRAM				

Species Targeted	Season	Control Method
Acer platanoides (Norway maple)	All	Mechanical removal of sapling with Weed Wrench
Ailanthus altissima (tree of heaven)	All	Mechanical removal of sapling with Weed Wrench
Alliaria petiolate (garlic mustard)	Late Spring	Hand pull
Celastrus orbiculatus (Oriental bittersweet)	Summer	Cut-stem treatment
Euonymus alatus (burning bush)	Summer	Cut-stem treatment
Frangula alnus (European buckthorn)	All	Mechanical removal of sapling with Weed Wrench
Polygonum cuspidatum (Japanese knotweed)	Late Summer	Cut-stem treatment
Rosa multiflora (multiflora rose)	Late Summer	Cut-stem treatment
Toxicodendron radicans (poison ivy)	Late Summer	Cut-stem treatment

3.4.4 Integrated Controls

Combining manual removal or reduction with limited use of herbicides has shown success over years of monitoring and management of invasive plant communities. Manual removal on its own tends to disturb the root systems and stress the plant just enough to spur regeneration. Removal in this manner would require complete extraction of the entire root system with as little breakage as possible to complete this process efficiently.

In contrast, manually removing or cutting down the vegetative portion of a plant and applying herbicide directly to the stump is very effective at stressing the plant to the point where it can no longer regenerate. For example, studies have been performed to find the most effective control for Japanese knotweed populations, many methods have been used: removing the whole plant (as much of the rhizome/root structure as possible); cutting plants back to varying heights; spraying vegetative structures with herbicide throughout the season; and spraying during flowering period and combinations thereof. The most effective and efficient (both cost and energy wise) method seems to be cutting back the stems to about 1 foot in height, and applying a glyphosate-based herbicide directly to the cut stem. This needs to be repeated throughout the season, but the results will be apparent during the first growing season, and by the second year fewer individuals will grow back and they will require

fewer treatments prior to becoming overly stressed. There is no reason why this methodology would not be effective with other rhizomatous species, which are encouraged to grow by disturbing the root system. Other, less virulent species may respond to manual removal or reduction alone, but monitoring of population growth will aid in the decision whether to use chemical assistance.

3.4.5 Operational Guidelines for Herbicide Use

All vegetation management applications will comply with applicable Local, State, and Federal laws and regulations. Herbicide application will be done by either a licensed Contractor or a licensed Town of Arlington employee. In addition to the applicable rules and regulations, applicators will adhere to the following operational guidelines:

Safety

All appropriate local, state and federal safety laws and regulations will be followed. This includes applicable sections of the Massachusetts Department of Agricultural Resources Pesticide Bureau "Storage, Mixing and Loading of Pesticides Guidelines," and all worker safety related statements and instructions on the herbicide label.

Weather

Herbicide applications will be restricted during certain adverse weather conditions such as rain and wind. Excessive wind can create drift during foliage applications causing damage to native vegetation. Herbicide applications will not be made during periods of moderate or heavy rainfall.

Herbicide Alternatives

If approved by the Town, the use of a sodium chloride-based solution applied to the leaves of poison ivy may be identified for a trial project. This type of treatment has been an effective organic alternative used at Fresh Pond Reservation.

NOTICE OF INTENT APPLICATION REPORT SECTION 4: MITIGATION MEASURES

4.1 MITIGATION MEASURES

Impact mitigation will include the use of erosion and sedimentation controls and other construction BMPs to protect pond water quality, and the physical and biological integrity of all resource areas during construction. Staked straw wattles will be installed between all work areas and the Bank and BVW to protect these resources and LUW from sedimentation during construction. Silt sacks will be installed in catch basins near the construction work to protect the pond. During installation of the coir fascines and overlooks the water level of the pond will be temporarily lowered to elevation 2.0 ft. NAVD88 by removing boards from the outfall control structure. All controls will be placed prior to the start of construction.

Other BMPs and mitigation measures, shown on the project plans, will include:

- Onshore enhancements of native plant communities and wildlife habitat in BVW, BLSF and BZ
- Improved site drainage and management/treatment of stormwater runoff to reduce erosion
- Upland meadow and tall turf grass seeding to slow down runoff, reduce erosion and improve wildlife habitat
- Targeted removal of woody species of invasive vegetation from pond banks at the Spy Pond Park, the area west of Boys and Girls Club, and Scannell Field where technically and economically feasible
- Removal of existing stone boulders at overlook and its replacement with a new timber overlook (north) with helical piers resulting in a removal of material in LUW and BLSF in Spy Pond Park

 North
- Regrading and removal of fill material at a new timber overlook (south) with helical piers resulting in removal of material in BLSF
- Regrading and removal of fill material resulting in removal of material in BLSF at Spring Valley Street to reduce steep slope and stabilize the slope.
- Addition of placed boulders down gradient of the Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge habitat.
 Boulders placed in LUW to reduce foot traffic, protect the existing seedbank in the lower, shallow zones, and reduce wave action.

4.2 TEMPORARY EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL

A comprehensive Erosion and Sediment Control and Site Preparation Plan (Sheet SP-1 and SP-2, Site Preparation Plan) has been developed to protect the Bank, Bordering Vegetated Wetland, Land Under Water Bodies, and Bordering Land Subject to Flooding during the process of construction. They will be maintained in good condition by the contractor as specified on the drawing and will remain in place until removal is authorized by the Owner's Representative.

There will be no large-scale clearing of vegetation. Selective removal of invasive vegetation will be done by hand. In areas of extreme infestation, the use of wick-applied herbicide approved for use near water bodies will be used in combination with manual methods (includes removal of poison ivy, oriental bittersweet, knotweed, buckthorn, and multiflora rose from upland areas). Exposed soils on the bank will be covered with erosion control fabric and planted as directed.

Impact mitigation measures proposed for each resource area are briefly summarized below.

4.1.1 Bank

A total of 1,530 lf of Bank will be restored as part of the project. BMPs during construction will protect Bank segments adjacent to the two locations where the overlook will cross the Bank from BLSF onto the open water of LUW. A combined total of 12 lf of Bank will be impacted. At the north overlook location, there is an existing stepping stone overlook that will be removed. The Bank will be restored with coir fascine. At the south overlook location at Scannell Field, the Bank is currently eroded and will be restored with coir fascine. There will be the introduction of shade from the timber overlooks at both locations. These overlooks are intended to focus recreational use of the Site as part of the restorative effort and minimize disruption to restored habitat. The remaining Bank will be restored with coir fascine and herbaceous plantings. No compensatory Bank creation is required due to the restoration proposed.

Three existing drainage outfalls in disrepair will be repaired via reconstruction of the rock aprons at two outfalls at Spy Pond Park and one outfall at the area west of Boys and Girls Club. The outfall protection will stabilize approximately a combined 30 lf of Bank at these locations. As these are existing areas of existing impacted Bank, no compensatory creation of Bank is required.

4.1.2 Bordering Vegetated Wetlands

There is a combined 1,400 square feet (sf) of BVW along the Banks of the pond at the area west of Boys and Girls Club and Spy Pond Park. Approximately 85 sf of the total 1,400 sf will be altered as part of the project to repair the existing drainage outfalls described above. The rock aprons will have a beneficial impact by repairing existing eroded gravel, rock, sediment areas. Well over 85 sf of in-kind restoration is proposed with a total of 375 sf of BVW planting enhancement at the coir fascines and revegetation of footpaths within the BVW.

4.1.3 Land under Waterbodies (LUW)

Mitigation of temporary construction disturbances of LUW will include temporarily lowering the elevation of the pond to 2.0 ft. NAVD88 by removing boards from the outfall control structure to protect the interior of the pond from construction activities. The installation of the helical piers for the two overlooks, the rock aprons at the three drainage outfalls, and the addition of boulders for the treatment at the Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge habitat will permanently alter approximately 290 square feet of LUW without impairing the ability of Spy Pond to continue providing the ecological functions and values of LUW. Thus, mitigation measures are proposed more to benefit the health of the pond and to enhance the value of Bank, BVW and BLSF than to comply with the performance standards for LUW. The proposed upland green infrastructure improvements and slope stabilization will reduce sedimentation and nutrient loading of the pond from soil erosion and stormwater influx, which will also help to mitigate LUW alterations by improving pond water quality.

4.1.4 Bordering Land Subject to Flooding

Approximately 17,300 sf of BLSF will be altered with 39 cubic feet (cf) of flood storage lost and 360 cf of flood storage replaced. The flood storage lost and replaced is due to the following activity described in Section 6.1 including: removal of existing stone boulders at overlook and their replacement with a new timber overlook (north) with helical piers resulting in a removal of material in BLSF at Spy Pond Park; regrading and removal of fill material at a new timber overlook (south) with helical piers resulting in removal of material in BLSF; regrading and removal of fill material resulting in removal of material in BLSF at Spring Valley Street to reduce steep slope and stabilize the slope; and the placement of boulders down gradient of the Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge habitat that increase the material in the BLSF.

The use of erosion and sediment controls and other BMPs during construction will protect those areas of BLSF not being enhanced by proposed green infrastructure and other landscaping improvements. Work in BLSF will include enhancements of native plant communities and wildlife habitat functions, as well as improved site drainage and treatment of stormwater runoff to reduce erosion impacts to the pond. The work in BLSF will enhance the habitat and protected ecological functions for this resource area, the performance standards for BLSF can be satisfied without any impact mitigation.

4.1.4.1 Straw Wattles

Proposed perimeter control along the boundary of earth disturbances due to scarifying compacted soils or regrading will include straw wattles. Straw wattles will be inspected on a weekly basis and maintained in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations until its removal is approved by the Commission during a post-construction site visit to be held prior to issuance of a Certificate of Compliance.

4.1.4.2 Overlook Installation

The installation of helical pier footings associated with the overlooks will either be installed with equipment reaching from the shoreline or using a hand-held device from a small boat floated on the water surface. Installation will not require heavy equipment to enter the pond. Access to the pond will be limited to the existing boat ramp. South Beach will not be used for any construction access due to the presence of Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge habitat.

4.1.4.3 Staging and Stockpile Area

The contractor staging and stock pile area is proposed outside of the resource area at the Spy Pond Park parking lot on Pond Lane. The northern half of the parking lot will be used by the contactor maintaining the remaining half for parking lot for public use. The staging and stockpile area shall be maintained in good condition at all times during construction. The area shall be kept free of trash, debris, etc., to the maximum extent possible. Silt sack are proposed at the three existing catch basins in the parking lot.

4.1.4.4 Final Site Stabilization

Following construction, exposed and erodible soils will be planted and seeded according to the final planting plan and protected from erosion with temporary mulch (straw, compost, etc.) until a thick vegetative cover is established. Any areas of the site that contain bare soils and where construction is not complete shall be temporarily stabilized with an annual cover crop and temporary straw mulch.

4.1.4.5 Stormwater Management

There are no site alterations such as an increase in impervious area that effect stormwater management in this project proposal; therefore, a detailed stormwater management plan is not warranted for the project. The project will decrease impervious area with the removal of 800 sf of asphalt roadway pavement at the terminus of Spring Valley. Also, the separate trail resurfacing project referenced in Section 1.1 will replace the existing impervious stabilized aggregate surface with flexible porous pavement at Spy Pond Park further decreasing the existing impervious area. Project improvements to stormwater management are depicted on the Plans in Appendix F. Operation and Maintenance Plan is included in Appendix E.

NOTICE OF INTENT APPLICATION REPORT SECTION 5: SCHEDULE

The improvements associated with this project are projected to occur in 2019. The work is projected to begin in April 2019 and be complete by September 2019. Please see outline of the construction schedule below.

Late Summer 2018

Spy Pond Park

Identify location of flowering Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge within Spy Pond Park

Spring/Late Summer 2019

Spring Valley Street and Boys and Girls Club Areas

- Mobilization
- Erosion and sediment control
- Pavement removal and demolition at Spring Valley Street
- Shoreline Restoration
 - Draw pond down to install coir fascines, planting, and goose protection fence
 - Install riprap outlet protection at Boys and Girls Club outfall
 - Stabilize gullies and existing trails
 - Slope plantings
- Bioretention basin at Spring Valley Street
 - Install overflow structure and pipe connection
 - Regrade and install bioretention basin
 - Install guiderail
 - Basin and upslope plantings
- Meadow at Boys and Girls Club area
 - Install guiderail
 - Meadow seeding

Spring/Early Summer 2019

Spy Pond Park

 Replace stabilized aggregate surfacing with porous flexible paving, main pathway (separate project – RDA, not part of application)

Late Summer/Fall 2019

Spy Pond Park and Scannell Field

- Mobilization
- Erosion and sediment control
- Shoreline Restoration
 - Draw pond down to install coir fascines, planting and goose protection fence
 - Install riprap outlet protection at Spy Pond Park outfalls
 - Scarify and stabilize compacted earth pathways
 - Slope plantings
- Vegetated swale and bioretention basin at Scannell Field
- Install overlooks (2)

NOTICE OF INTENT APPLICATION REPORT SECTION 6: SUMMARY

The proposed shoreline ecological restoration project along Spy Pond at Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, the terminus of Spring Valley Road, and the area west of the Boys and Girls Club is designed to expand and enhance the functional and structural ecology of Spy Pond resource areas while providing amenities for ongoing public use. The proposed project will restore degraded and heavily eroded areas of Bank by using bioengineered bank stabilization treatments, enhancement plantings, select invasive species management, green infrastructure stormwater management, and installing two timber overlook structures on helical pier footings to focus recreational use of the Site as part of the restorative effort and minimize disruption to restored habitat. The proposed plant palette will promote biologically diverse flora enhanced through the removal of invasive species and the planting of native species based on a native community planting approach.

As discussed above, there will be minimal impacts to BVW and the temporary construction disturbances and long-term impacts of the project on Bank, LUW, and BLSF will not have a significant, adverse ecological impact on the protected ecological functions and societal benefits/services provided by each of these resource areas. Due to the overall benefits of the project to the ecological health of the pond and onshore resource areas, from the combination of landscape improvements and impact mitigation measures, the project will fully comply with all relevant performance standards enumerated in the Act, the Act Regulations, the Bylaw, and the Bylaw Regulations.

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APPENDIX A WETLAND RESOURCE AREA ANALYSIS REPORT







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July 16, 2018

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Ms. Hilary A. Holmes Hatch Chester Engineers 27 Congress Street, Suite 508 Salem, MA 01970

Re: Wetland Resource Area Analysis Report
Spy Pond Bank Stabilization Project - Phase 2
Arlington, Massachusetts

Dear Ms. Holmes:

Pursuant to your request, LEC Environmental Consultants, Inc., (LEC) conducted a site evaluation and Wetland Resource Area boundary determination at four locations on Spy Pond in Arlington, Massachusetts. Our site evaluation was conducted in accordance with the *Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act* (M.G.L. c. 131, s. 40, the *Act*) and its implementing Regulations (310 CMR 10.00, the *Act Regulations*), and the *Town of Arlington Wetland Protection Bylaw* (Article 8, the *Bylaw*) and its implementing Regulations (the *Bylaw Regulations*), and the criteria provided in *Delineating Bordering Vegetated Wetlands Under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act* (March 1995) and *Field Indicators for Identifying Hydric Soils in New England* (May 2017). This effort is in support of a Notice of Intent (NOI) Application filed by your office, on behalf of the Town of Arlington, for an Ecological Restoration Project to restore and stabilize the eroding Banks along Spy Pond. The following report provides a general site description, wetland delineation methodology, and a description of the Wetland Resource Areas associated with the Site.

General Site Description

Spy Pond is located southwest of Massachusetts Avenue, southeast of Pleasant Street, and north of the Concord Turnpike, within the southeastern portion of Arlington, Massachusetts (Attachment A, Figures 1 and 3). The Site is located along portions of the northern and eastern Bank of Spy Pond and includes five (5) town-owned parcels consisting of Spy Pond Park (Parcel IDs: 9-3-1 & 9-3-3), Scannell Field (Parcel ID: 9-4-1), undeveloped land to the west of the Boys and Girls Club of Arlington (Parcel ID: 121-6-2), and undeveloped land south of Spring Valley Street (Parcel ID: 122-4-10). Residential development typically occurs adjacent to each parcel.

The developed portions of the Site, located within Spy Pond Park and Scannell Field, contain recreational and outdoor use areas, including a paved parking lot, playground, and a walking trail extending from the

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parking lot to the *cul-de-sac* terminus of Linwood Street. Intermittent access to Spy Pond occurs along the walking trail via a boat ramp, several boulder overlooks, and a grass 'beach' area north of the Linwood Street *cul-de-sac*. A baseball field (Scannell Field) occurs south of *cul-de-sac*.

A narrow band of forested land occurs along the Bank to Spy Pond within the Site. This forested land is primarily comprised of forested upland, with narrow areas of forested wetlands located adjacent to Spy Pond Park, and the Boys and Girls Club. Topography within Spy Pond Park and Scannell Field is generally flat, with gentle slopes descending toward the Bank, while topography associated with the Boys and Girls Club and Spring Valley Street contains moderate slopes and more abrupt breaks in topography separating Spy Pond from adjacent land. Informal walking paths occur immediately adjacent to the Bank at Spy Pond Park, Scannell Field, and the Boys and Girls Club, resulting in compacted soil conditions with little to no vegetation and/or erosion of soil immediately adjacent to Spy Pond. Soil erosion is also evident at the terminus of Spring Valley Street where stormwater run-off and a fallen tree have compromised the Bank.

Vegetation within the forested uplands includes a moderately dense canopy of Norway maple (Acer platanoides), with individual silver maple (Acer saccharinum), mulberry (Morus sp.), black cherry (Prunus serotina), red maple (Acer rubrum), eastern cottonwood (Populus deltoides), tree of heaven (Ailanthus altissima), black locust (Robinia pseudoacacia), and willow (Salix spp.), including pussy willow (Salix discolor). The understory contains patches of false indigo bush (Amorpha fruticosa), European buckthorn (Frangula alnus), with individuals of saplings from the canopy, sapling American linden (*Tilia americana*), rose (*Rosa* spp.) including entanglements of multiflora rose (*Rosa multiflora*), crab apple (Malus sp.), common buckthorn (Rhamnus cathartica), burning bush (Euonymus alatus), and entanglements of Oriental bittersweet (Celastrus orbiculatus). Patches of Japanese knotweed are located near the northwestern edge of Spy Pond Park. The groundcover contains patches of mugwort (Artemisia vulgaris), poison ivy (Toxicodendron radicans), goldenrods (Solidago spp.) including rough-stem goldenrod (Solidago rugosa), bluestem goldenrod (Solidago caesia), and lance-leaf goldenrod (Solidago lanciolata), aster (Symphotrichium spp.), including purple-stemmed aster (Symphotrichium puniceus), ragweed (Ambrosia artemisiifolia), boneset (Eupatorium perfoliatum), and yarrow (Achillea millefolium). Entanglements of sweet autumn clematis (Clematis paniculata) also were observed, with individual patches of red clover (Trifolium pratense), wild carrot (Daucus carota), Canada hawkweed (Hieracium canadense), St. John's wort (Hypericum perforatum), hay-scented fern (Dennstaedtia punctilobula), butter-and-eggs (*Linaria vulgaris*), and individuals of dock (*Rumex* sp.), chicory (*Cichorium intybus*), tansy (*Tanacetum vulgare*), and various grasses including foxtail (*Setaria* sp.).

According to the Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) Soil Survey (Web Soil Survey and Middlesex County, Massachusetts, Version 16, September 14, 2016), the Site consists primarily of Udorthents, Loamy Soil, while the Spring Valley Street site contains Hinckley loam sand, 15 to 25 percent slopes. NRCS describes Udorthents, Loamy Soil as 'nearly level and rolling areas where the original soil has been cut away or covered with loamy fill material.' Hinckley soils are described as 'very

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deep, excessively drained soils on escarpments and side slopes of glacial outwash terraces, mounds, and long sinuous ridges.'

LEC inspected soil conditions within the upland areas along Spy Pond using a Dutch-style soil auger and generally observed a sandy loam topsoil (A Horizon) measuring roughly six (6) inches thick with a soil matrix color of 10YR 3/2. The topsoil is underlain by a weathered, sandy loam subsoil (B_w Horizon) measuring roughly nine (9) inches thick with a soil matrix color of 10YR 3/3. Refusal was generally encountered at 15 inches. Generally, no redoximorphic concentrations were observed within the upland soil profile, or if they were observed, occur too deep within the soil column and/or within a high chroma subsoil matrix. The observed soil profiles within the upland are <u>not</u> considered 'hydric' in accordance with the *Field Indicators Guide*.

Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program (NHESP) Designation

According to the 14th Edition (August 1, 2017) of the Natural Heritage Endangered Species Program (NHESP) *Massachusetts Natural Heritage Atlas*, Spy Pond and its adjacent surrounding areas are located within *Priority Habitat of Rare Species* (PH 1421, Attachment A, Figure 4). According to NHESP, this *Priority Habitat* is mapped for the Engelmann's Umbrella-sedge (*Cyperus engelmannii*).

Wetland Boundary Determination

On September 7, 2017, LEC conducted a site evaluation to identify and characterize existing protectable Wetland Resource Areas within the Site associated with Spy Pond as set forth by Hatch Chester Engineering. Based on our observations, LEC determined that Bank, Bordering Land Subject to Flooding (BLSF), and Land Under Water Bodies and Waterways (LUW) occurs on all four sections of the Site, and forested Bordering Vegetated Wetlands (BVW) occur along the Bank adjacent to Spy Pond Park and the Boys and Girls Club.

LEC delineated the Bank and BVW boundaries with sequentially-numbered, safety blue (Bank) or blaze-orange (BVW) surveyor's tape. LEC BVW flagging stations 1 through 11 demarcate the BVW boundaries along Spy Pond Park, and 1A through 5A demarcate the BVW boundary along the Boys and Girls Club. LEC Bank flagging stations 1 through 44 demarcate the Bank adjacent to Scannell Field and Spy Pond Park, while 1A through 14A demarcate the Bank along the Boys and Girls Club, and 1B through 4B demarcate the Bank at the terminus of Spring Valley Road.

Bordering Vegetated Wetland

According to the *Act Regulations* [310 CMR 10.55(2)], Bordering Vegetated Wetland (BVW) is defined as: *freshwater wetlands which border on creeks, rivers, streams, ponds, and lakes...Bordering Vegetated Wetlands are areas where the soils are saturated and/or inundated such that they support a predominance of wetland indicator plants...The boundary of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands is the line within which 50% or more of the vegetational community consists of wetland indicator plants and saturated or inundated conditions exist*

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According to the *Bylaw Regulations* (Section 21.B.1) *Vegetated Wetlands are freshwater wetlands*, including both bordering vegetated wetlands (i.e., bordering on freshwater bodies such as on creeks, rivers, streams, ponds, and lakes), and isolated vegetated wetlands which do not border on any permanent water body. The types of freshwater wetlands are wet meadows, marshes, swamps, bogs, and vernal pools. Vegetated Wetlands are areas where soils are saturated and/or inundated such that they support a predominance of wetland indicator plants. The ground water and surface water hydrological regime, soils, and the vegetational community which occur in each type of freshwater wetlands, including both bordering and isolated vegetated wetlands, are defined under the bylaw based on G.L. C. 131 § 40.

Four areas of BVW occur along the Bank adjacent to Spy Pond Park. Vegetation within these BVWs includes a sparse canopy of red maple, silver maple, and willow, with scattered individuals of grey birch (Betula populifolia) and quaking aspen (Populus tremuloides). The understory is similarly sparse and contains scattered patches of sweet pepperbush (Clethra alnifolia), false indigo bush, European buckthorn, and individuals of saplings from the canopy. The groundcover is comparatively dense and contains patches of rough-stem goldenrod, sensitive fern (Onoclea sensibilis), and entanglements of sweet autumn clematis, with individual patches of common water-primrose (Ludwigia palustris), bittersweet nightshade (Solanum dulcamara), iris (Iris sp.), Asiatic dayflower (Commelina communis), purple loosestrife (Lyrthrum salicaria), wild carrot, and individuals of beggarticks (Bidens spp.), water horehound (Lycopus americanus), smartweed (Polygonum sp.), and various sedges including slender flatsedge (Cyperus bipartitus), broom sedge (Carex scoparia), Engelmann's umbrella-sedge (Cyperus engelmannii), umbrella sedge (Cyperus strigosus), and fox sedge (Carex vulpinoidea).

Utilizing a hand-held, Dutch-style auger, LEC inspected soils within the BVW and generally observed a 5-inch thick, loamy sand topsoil (A horizon) with a soil matrix color of 10YR 2/2. The topsoil is underlain by a 15-inch thick, depleted subsoil (B_g Horizon) with a soil matrix color of 2.5Y 4/2. Redoximorphic depletions with a color of 2.5Y 4/1 were observed starting at six (6) inches from the soil surface. Refusal was generally encountered at 15 inches. This soil profile is considered 'hydric' in accordance with the *Field Indicators Guide*.

Bank

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Bank is defined in the Act Regulations [310 CMR 10.54(2)(a)] as the portion of land surface which normally abuts and confines a water body. The upper boundary of a bank is the first observable break in the slope or the mean annual flood level, whichever is lower. The lower boundary of a bank is the mean annual low flow level.

Bank is defined in the *Bylaw Regulations* (Section 20.B.1.) as the portion of the land surface which normally abuts and confines a water body. It occurs between a water body and a vegetated bordering wetland and adjacent floodplain, or, in the absence of these, it occurs between a water body and an upland. A bank may be partially or totally vegetated, or it may be comprised of exposed soil, gravel, or stone.

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The Bank to Spy Pond within the Site is contained within gradual to nearly vertical slopes measuring roughly 12 to 18 inches in height, and comprised of exposed/eroding soils of sand and gravel. This erosion appears to be occurring due to both wave action and foot traffic along the Banks of Spy Pond. Shallow and more significant Bank undercuts and exposed roots also were observed along the Banks. The Bank within Spy Pond Park proximate to Bank flags 12 through 17 is located along a vertical boulder retaining wall. Vegetation along the Banks is variable, but generally includes many of the scattered canopy trees, shrubs, saplings, and groundcover plants listed in the BVW description above.

Bordering Land Subject to Flooding (BLSF)

Bordering Land Subject to Flooding (BLSF) is defined in the *Act Regulations* [310 CMR 10.57(2)(a)] as an area with low, flat topography adjacent to and inundated by flood waters rising from creeks, rivers, streams, ponds or lakes. It extends from the banks of these waterways and water bodies; where a bordering vegetated wetland occurs, it extends from said wetland... The boundary of Bordering Land Subject to Flooding is the estimated maximum lateral extent of flood water which will theoretically result from the statistical 100-year frequency storm. Said boundary shall be that determined by reference to the most recently available flood profile data prepared for the community within which the work is proposed under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP, currently administered by the Federal Emergency Management Agency, successor to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development). Said boundary, so determined, shall be presumed accurate...

Land Subject to Flooding is defined in the *Bylaw* [Section (9)(G)] as the land within the estimated maximum lateral extent of flood water which will theoretically result from the statistical 100-year frequency storm; said boundary shall be that determined by reference to the most recently available flood profile data prepared for Arlington within which the work is proposed under the National Flood Insurance Program ("NFIP"). Where NFIP data are unavailable or outdated, the boundary of said land and shall be based on the maximum Lateral extent of flood water which has been observed or recorded, or other evidence presented and considered by the Commission. Said land shall also include isolated areas which frequently or seasonably hold standing water; such areas may or may not be characterized by wetland vegetation or soil characteristics.

According to the June 4, 2010 Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRM) for Middlesex County, Massachusetts (Map No: 25017C0416E and 25017C0417E), Spy Pond and land immediately adjacent to its Bank are located within Zone A: Special Flood Hazard Areas (SFHAs) subject to Inundation by the 1% Annual Chance Flood; No Base Flood Elevations determined. The remainder portions of the site are located within Zone X (unshaded): Areas determined to be outside the 0.2% annual chance floodplain. The land extending from the Bank or BVW boundaries to the Zone A boundary is considered BLSF in accordance with the Act Regulations and the Bylaw.

Land under Water Bodies and Waterways (LUW)

Land under Water Bodies and Waterways is defined in the *Act Regulations* [310 CMR 10.56 (2)(a)] as the *land beneath any creek, river, stream, pond, or lake. Said land may be composed of organic muck or*

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peat, fine sediments, rocks, or bedrock...the boundary of Land under Water Bodies and Waterways is the mean annual low water level.

LUW is defined in the Bylaw Regulations [Section 22 (b)] as the land beneath any creek, river, stream, pond or lake. Said land may be composed of organic muck or peat, fine sediments, rocks or bedrock. ... The boundary of land under water bodies is mean low water level

LUW associated with Spy Pond extends from the lower boundary of Bank, and primarily contains sands and gravels. Little to no vegetation within LUW was observed.

Summary

LEC conducted a site evaluation and wetland delineation on September 7, 2017 to determine the extent of Wetland Resource Areas subject to jurisdiction under the Act and Act Regulations, Bylaw, and Bylaw Regulations. Based on our site evaluation and review of pertinent maps included herein, LEC determined that the Wetland Resource Areas include BVW, Bank, BLSF, and LUW associated with Spy Pond. The Bank restoration and stabilization efforts proposed by the Town of Arlington will require compliance with performance standards enumerated in the Act Regulations and Bylaw Regulations, and filing for the appropriate permits with the Arlington Conservation Commission, the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection, and/or NHESP.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide these services. Should you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me in our Wakefield office at (781)-245-2500 or via email at rkirby@lecenvironmental.com.

Sincerely,

LEC Environmental Consultants, Inc.

Richard Kirby

Senior Wetland Scientist

Attachment

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Attachment A

Figure 1: USGS Topographic Map

Figures 2A and 2B: FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Maps

Figure 3: MassGIS Aerial Orthophoto

Figure 4: MassGIS Aerial Orthophoto with NHESP Priority Habitat Data Layer

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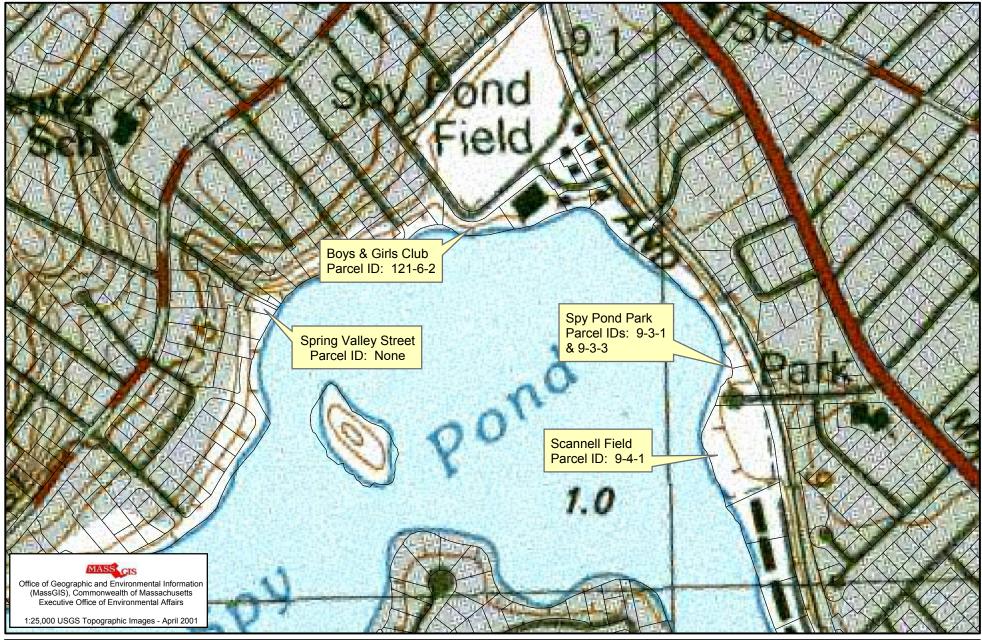
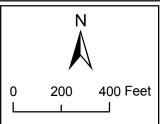


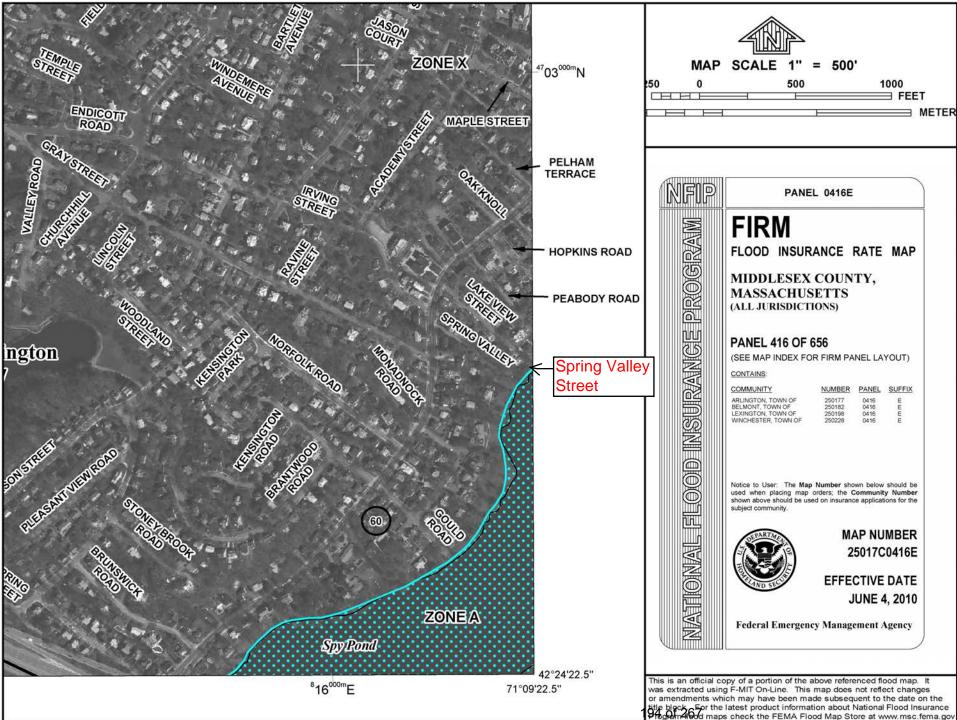


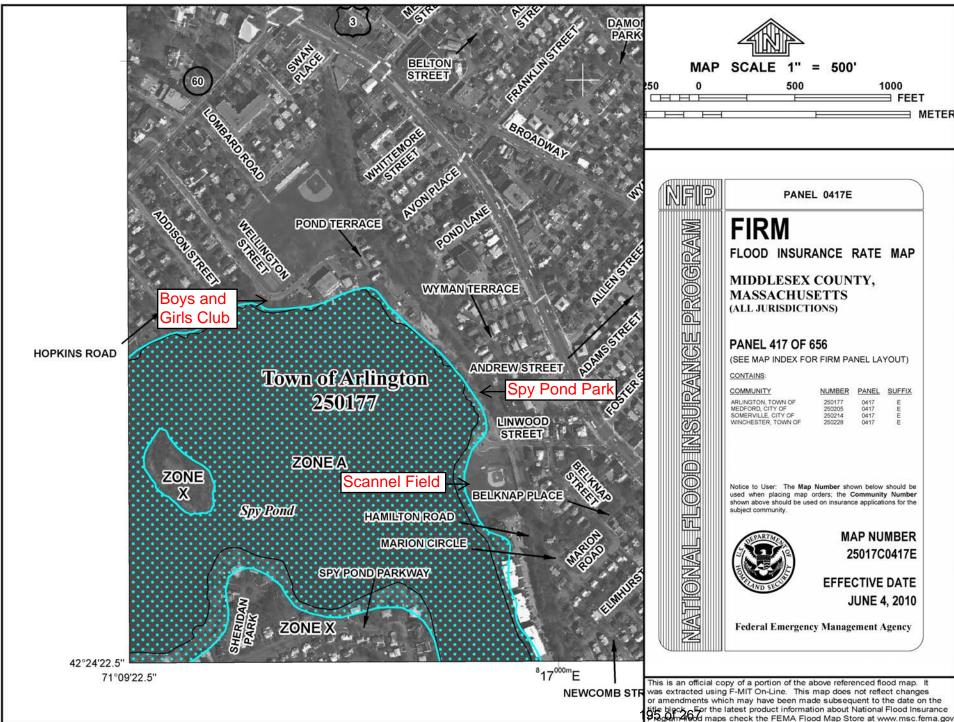
Figure 1: USGS Topographic Map Spy Pond Project - Phase 2 Arlington, MA

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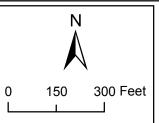




Figuare 3: MassGIS Orthophoto Spy Pond Project - Phase 2 Arlington, MA

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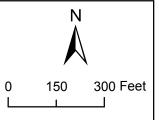




Figuare 4: MassGIS Orthophoto & NHESP Map Spy Pond Project - Phase 2 Arlington, MA

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APPENDIX B SITE CHARACTERIZATION REPORT



Spy Pond Edge Protection and Erosion Control Project

Site Characterization Report

Town of Arlington

December 2016







Introduction

Considerable effort has been expended in recent years to create an ecologically viable, functionally efficient and aesthetically pleasing facility at Spy Pond. During the mid-19th century Spy Pond provided drinking water to the people of Arlington, however, it was abandoned due to increased human activity in the vicinity, including commercial gardening that yielded sediments and nutrients in runoff resulting in extensive weed growth. This situation became prevalent in the early 1900s. Around that time, farms were being converted to lots and roads as the community became increasingly urbanized further affecting water quality that continued to decline with the proliferation of stormwater outfalls. Nevertheless, as a respite from daily activities Spy Pond continued to serve as a focal point for rest and relaxation within the community.

In a 1980-81 Diagnostic Study of Spy Pond by the Massachusetts Division of Water Pollution Control the authors observed that public use and enjoyment of Spy Pond had declined in recent years. The current situation, however, is clear evidence that restoration work in the park over the past decade has been effective and Spy Pond is once again a major focal point for the community. There are, however areas within the park, adjacent to Scannell Field on the east end and adjacent to the Boys and Girls club at the west end where uncontrolled use has created deteriorating conditions that impact water quality and long term sustainability.

Existing Information Sources

Eleven documents were provided by the Town of Arlington Conservation Commission for review to gain familiarity with the significant issues to be dealt with as identified over the past 30 years. These include:

- 1. Plan of Route 2 Spy Pond Outlet, prepared for MassDOT The reconstructed roadway has 11 outfalls that directly flow into Spy Pond with minimal mitigation measures. Water levels are given based on the 1929 MDPW datum. NAVD 88 datum elevations are provided in brackets. Outlet Spillway elevation 4.17′ [3.37′], Historic High water (October 22, 1996) 7.00′ [6.20′], typical water elevation (1987-1996) 4.50′ [3.70′], Historic Low water (1985-1987) 2.0′+/- [1.2′].
- Plans of Route 2 Drainage Repairs and Improvements at Various Locations (Spy Pond), RDA
 Submission, prepared for MassDOT These improvements are unrelated to Spy Pond.
- 3. Request for Determination of Applicability prepared by Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc. (VHB), for Route 2 Stormwater Improvements, 2012 This project has no relationship to the issues under consideration for this project.
- 4. Spring Valley Street, Arlington, Concept Plan for a Green Infrastructure Retrofit prepared by Chester Engineers, 2014 This proposal will be incorporated into this project for consideration.

- 5. **Spy Pond Bank Stabilization by William Green Associates, 1992** Solution based on water level of 4.08 as of November 1990. Bank stabilization relies on stone toe with erosion control blanket and ornamental planting on the bank.
- 6. **Spy Pond Park, 50% Construction Documents prepared by Carol R. Johnson Associates, 2004** Several areas are identified with various techniques for bank stabilization that are currently not evident on-the-ground with the exception of a stone slope and a stabilized planting area with stacked coir logs along the shore at the end of Linwood Street.
- 7. Characterization and Cycling of Phosphorus and Arsenic in Spy Pond prepared for Massachusetts Department of Environmental Management, Lakes and Ponds Program, 2000 High inputs of phosphorus have caused the pond to become hypereutrophic, resulting in high rates of sedimentation and algal growth.
- 8. Review of Recommendations for the Restoration of Spy Pond, Arlington prepared by Hydroanalysis Inc., 1997 Controls on stormwater that reduce phosphorus reaching the pond are preferable to in –pond controls. Wetland treatment remains a viable alternative for stormwater treatment flowing to Spy Pond.
- 9. Feasibility Study of Lake Restoration in Spy Pond, Arlington prepared by the Environmental **Design and Planning, Inc., 1982** Excerpt including the table of contents.
- 10. Spy Pond, A Diagnostic Study, 1980-1981 prepared by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Quality Engineering - Spy Pond was classified as a eutrophic lake. The major source of nutrients causing the eutrophic conditions was from the stormwater runoff entering the lake.
- 11. **Spy Pond Stormwater Management Program (s319) prepared by the Town of Arlington, 2007 –** Priority pollutants targeted include phosphorous, sediment, suspended solids removal. Installation of leaching catch basin and baffle tanks to reduce phosphorous input into the pond.
- 12. Updated Recommendations for Shoreline Restoration prepared by Carol R. Johnson Associates, 2014.
- 13. NOI for Spy Pond Condominium Assn. prepared by New England Environmental, 2010.

Site Analysis

To account for variable conditions on the ground, the project has been divided into four separate areas as follows:

- Area 1 Scannell Field
- Area 2 Spy Pond Park
- Area 3 Boys & Girls Club
- Area 4 Spring Valley Street

Please refer on the next page to Figure 1 - Project Area Locations.

Figure 1 - Project Location



Prior to developing a full site characterization for each of the four areas, a set of criteria was created to establish the relative stability of the shoreline edge in each area and the need for erosion control. Three classifications with criteria were established as follows:

Table 1. Shoreline Categorization				
Stable	Marginally Stable	Unstable		
 Vegetated or hardscaped Uncompacted soil Controlled human use Shallower slope Controlled stormwater runoff Hard or soft edge 	 Scattered loss of vegetation Compacted soils Uncontrolled human use 	 Loss of stabilizing vegetation Compacted soil Uncontrolled human use Steep slope Uncontrolled stormwater runoff 		

Area 1 - Scannell Field (Unstable)

Figure 2 - Area1: Scannell Field



Access and Circulation

The Linwood Street cul-de-sac provides primary access to this area, located on the east side of Spy Pond just south of Spy Pond Park. It is accessible by vehicle, bicycle, or on foot. There is limited two-hour parking in this area so some visitors will likely use the parking lot at the north end of Spy Pond Park and walk.

Circulation on-site is, primarily, foot traffic, either to play or observe a ball game, or to gain access to the pond in a more remote location within the Spy Pond Park. Herein lies the problem since there are no formal pathways that provide access to the water on the pond side of the fence that separates the ball field from the slope to the water.

Existing Vegetation and Habitat Conditions

Numerous old growth trees line the shoreline with extensive root structures providing partial stabilization to portions of the slope and the vertical bank in the vicinity of the water line. In many cases, however, the roots are being undermined by wave action that has eroded soil for depths up to two feet into the slope beneath the roots. Considerable erosion is occurring along vertical banks that are not contained by roots.

There is distributed shrub cover on the slope with root masses to assist in soil stabilization, however, the uncontrolled foot access has created numerous pathways starting along the fence line directly downslope to the water's edge. In these locations vegetation is eliminated and the compacted soil is exposed to erosion exacerbated by uninterrupted sheet flow across the athletic field. Erosion has exposed the roots of many of the old growth trees with ongoing contributions to sediment buildup within the pond.



Photograph 1: Tree with Exposed Roots

The majority of the area is in poor condition with dead and dying trees, exposed roots, unstable banks, extensive areas of eroding soils, and litter that will require a comprehensive approach to stabilization including control of the human activity that is at the root of the problem.



Photograph 2: Erosion with Visible Undercutting



Photograph 3: Erosion and Lack of Vegetation



Photograph 4: Unstable Bank with Exposed Roots and Undercutting

As riparian habitat this area provides cover and food for a variety of small mammals and birds. The deteriorating condition of the slope, however, creates a condition that is less than optimal. Furthermore, the fishery is further degraded by ongoing sedimentation within the water column.

Water Quality

In addition to an actively eroding slope that contributes sediment to the pond, uninterrupted runoff from the athletic field, a likely source of nitrogen and phosphorous fertilization also affects the perennial decline of Spy Pond water quality.



Figure 3- Area1: Scannell Field, Uncontrolled Runoff & Erosion on Slope

Potential Infiltration Areas

As stated above, sheet flow across the athletic field is a likely source of contamination in the pond and, it also contributes to accelerated erosion on the slope. Mitigation is possible by constructing a linear swale along the fence line to stimulate infiltration. The swale could be linked to a bioretention basin in the open area near the cul-de-sac for more effective pollutant removal.

Area 2 – Spy Pond Park (Marginally Stable)



Figure 4 - Area 2: Spy Pond Park

Access and Circulation

Area 2 is the primary destination for those who are visiting Spy Pond Park. There are four locations for both vehicular and pedestrian access from the nearby residential and commercial areas. Pond Lane provides the primary access to the parking area located at the north end of the park. A secondary access through the parking area is from Wellington Street, further to the west in the vicinity of the Boys and Girls Club. Linwood Street leads to a cul-de-sac on the east side of the park providing access to the park facilities on one side and the Scannell Field on the other. This is primarily a drop-off and pick-up area since the two-hour parking is limited. The Minuteman Commuter Bikeway crosses Linwood Street a short distance uphill from the cul-de-sac providing additional access to Spy Pond Park.

Circulation on site is primarily for pedestrians along designated pathways that provide access to all facilities, including a grassed slope leading to the beach, picnic tables, access points to the water for fishing or relaxation, benches, a children's play area, and a boat ramp for launching small, non-motorized boats, canoes and kayaks. The site improvements to the park were part of the restoration project completed in 2006, see **Figure 5** below.

Figure 5 – Spy Pond Park Restoration



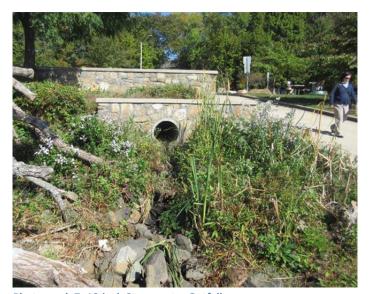
For the most part pedestrians limit themselves to the defined pathways; however, desire lines do exist along the slope to the pond in a few locations between the boat ramp and the beach providing additional access to the water. These informal pathways eliminate stabilizing vegetation that lead to erosion and, consequently, sedimentation in Spy Pond.





Photographs 5 and 6: Foot Paths in Plant Beds with Compacted Soil and Erosion

The area west of the boat ramp on the slope between the water and the retaining wall near the parking lot was not part of the renovations in 2006. This area is essentially removed from the center of activity in the park but it apparently attracts visitation as indicated by the casual pathways and loss of stabilizing vegetation. Dead and dying trees and a poorly maintained stormwater outfall indicate neglect for this somewhat isolated portion of the park.







Photograph 8: Foot Path along Stone Wall

Existing Vegetation and Habitat Conditions

With a few exceptions, on site vegetation appears to be healthy and well maintained. Outliers include the areas where uncontrolled pathways eliminate the plant growth that provides soil stabilization, particularly west of the boat ramp. Also, along the immediate shoreline, in a few cases where there is a

slight escarpment with no stabilizing tree roots, wave action has eliminated the stabilizing vegetation. There were also a couple of areas where the exposed tree roots along the bank are being undercut by wave action. The line between turf and the north beach is poorly defined and requires some material presence to clearly articulate the boundary.





Photograph 9: Eroded Pond Edge

Photograph 10: Exposed Tree Roots Being Undercut

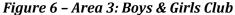
A well-defined tree and shrub layer on the slope up to the adjacent bikeway provides cover and food for both small mammals and birds. Shrubs and trees along the shoreline provide additional cover. Spy Pond itself can provide some warm water fish habitat although as a water body classified as hypereutrophic it has limitations. The accompanying excessive plant growth, occasional algal blooms, low dissolved oxygen content, low transparency, etc. limit species diversity and, consequently, sport fishing opportunities.

Water Quality and Water Level Management

The total watershed area draining to Spy Pond is 964 acres. The entire watershed with one small exception at Menotomy Park drains through 43 separate outfalls into Spy Pond (Existing Information Source #10, page 2). High inputs of phosphorous have caused the pond to become hypereutrophic. Stormwater runoff and dry weather base flow from a very urban area are the primary contributors to the problem. In addition, there are substantial amounts of both phosphorous and arsenic in the upper 10 to 20 centimeters of the sediments that includes past agricultural use and runoff to the pond. Transport of the sediments into the water column occurs during spring and fall turnover; however, phosphorous inputs in stormwater runoff appear to be as much as 3 to 6 times higher than sediment inputs.

Water level management can be an effective tool for managing water quality. Winter drawdown of the lake surface has at least two beneficial outcomes, controlling macrophytes and reducing shoreline erosion. Lowering the water level by at least three feet in winter exposes shallow aquatic plants to drying and freezing. Plants most affected are Eurasian watermilfoil (Myriophyllum spicatum) and Coontail (Ceratophyllum demersum). In addition, bank erosion can be reduced by removing accelerated wave action from winter storms and ice buildup from the immediate shoreline (Existing information source #8, page 2).

Area 3 - Boys & Girls Club (Unstable)





Access and Circulation

Wellington Street is the primary access to this area, although it can be reached via the Pond Lane Extension that links to the Spy Pond Park parking area. There are spaces for 28 cars in the area but this is primarily to serve the adjacent Boys and Girls Club. Abutting the parking area is a grassed strip of land above the steep slope down to Spy Pond that is used for snow storage in the winter.

Because this area is relatively isolated from the rest of Spy Pond Park, it is not as heavily used. There is no formal access to the pond and so casual pathways down and across the vertical slope have evolved in several locations over time. All of these informal access areas are eroding and contributing sediment to the pond.

Existing Vegetation, Habitat, and Water Quality Conditions

Vegetation in this location has not been disturbed to the extent that it has adjacent to Scannell Field since primary access is along the top of the slope in a grassed area. There are, however, nine separate pathways down the steep slope to another pathway at mid slope and, occasionally, along the water's edge. All nine have compacted, eroding soil that is deposited in the pond. As a relatively isolated area it

serves to provide habitat for small animals and birds, however, sediment from the uncontrolled pathways contributes negatively to the aquatic habitat. Any and all sediment that enters the water of Spy Pond continues to degrade the water quality.





Photograph 11: Steep Eroded Slope

Photograph 12: Numerous Foot Paths

Stormwater from the adjacent pavement in Wellington Street and Pond Lane Extension drains into a catch basin at the curb next to this segment of parkland. From there it is piped through a manhole directly into Spy Pond at the base of the slope. The 12-inch outfall is partially filled with sediment and water. The outfall is ill-defined due to the lack of an endwall and the surrounding vegetation that grown in obscuring it from view.



Photograph 13: Obscured 12-inch Stormwater Outfall

Area 4 - Spring Valley Street (Unstable)





Circulation and Access

This component of the project was part of a conceptual green infrastructure retrofit developed by Chester Engineers in 2014 in conjunction with a stormwater grant sponsored by Mystic River Watershed Association (MyWRA) and implemented through Arlington's Public Works Department. The concept was designed to divert stormwater runoff from the Spring Valley Street into a cascading bioretention channel leading to a small treatment wetland and from there into Spy Pond. It is situated at the end of Spring Valley Street, accessible by vehicle or on foot. The area currently serves as a small boat launch facility for surrounding neighbors.



Photograph 14: Uncontrolled Stormwater Runoff



Photograph 15: Small Boat Launch Facility, Lower End of Spring Valley Street

Existing Vegetation, Habitat, and Water Quality Conditions

A recent rainfall event that produced high energy sheet flow across the paved boat launch area at the end Spring Valley Road undermined and overturned a 30-inch diameter poplar tree that served to stabilize the bank adjacent to Spy Pond. The upturned, root ball, approximately eight feet in diameter has created a large, eroding crater in the slope at the water's edge. The fallen tree extends out into the pond for approximately 80 feet, supported by broken limbs.



Photograph 16: Eroded Slope near Stormwater Outfall



Photograph 17: Eroded Slope at the Uprooted Tree



Photograph 18: Uprooted Tree

In addition to the fallen tree, there are a few small trees on the periphery of the site, however, extensive use as a boat launch facility has eliminated understory and ground plane vegetation with the exception of some scattered groundcover. The portion of the bank to the pond that is not affected by the overturned tree is vegetated, and relatively stable. Habitat value for upland species is minimal and sediment from the exposed and eroding soil negatively impacts both water quality and aquatic habitat.

Summary of Existing Shoreline Conditions

Existing Shoreline Categorizations				
Area 1: Scannell Field	Area 2: Spy Pond Park	Area 3: Boys & Girls Club	Area 4: Spring Valley Street	
Unstable Loss of stabilizing vegetation Compacted soils Uncontrolled human use Steep slope Uncontrolled stormwater runoff	 Marginally Stable Scattered loss of vegetation Compacted Soils Uncontrolled human use 	Unstable Loss of stabilizing vegetation Compacted soil Uncontrolled human use Steep slope	Unstable Loss of stabilization Steep slope Uncontrolled stormwater runoff Human use	

APPENDIX C BOTANICAL SURVEY REPORT AND VPRS REPORT





24 October 2017

Richard Kirby
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RE: Rare Plant Species Study at Spy Pond Arlington, Massachusetts

Dear Rich:

In response to your request, site visits were conducted over two days in the first week of October 2017. Observations were conducted using meandering transects along the upland boundary of the shoreline and then repeated wading a linear path along the submerged shore. While the focus of these observations was specifically for *Cyperus engelmannii* and related or similar taxa, 65 species of vascular plants were noted spanning 21 families, including several invasive species (e.g., *Lythrum salicaria*, *Phragmites australis*, and *Polygonum cuspidatum*, among others).

A moderate number of individuals of the genus *Cyperus* were observed along sunny, relatively open stretch of sandy and/or muddy shoreline. The majority of these observations proved to be *C. strigosus*, while several appeared to *C. engelmannii* and thus the focus of further investigation described herein. Other taxa within the Cyperaceae were also noted but these were not likely to be confused with the species of concern, e.g., *Cyperus bipartitus*, *Carex scoparia*, and *Carex vulpinoidea*. The *Cyperus* species in question occurred in isolated patches that were limited Area 2 "Spy Pond Park" only (Figure 1). The locations of population centers were georeferenced in the field using a Trimble Nomad handheld computer with Trimble R1 antennae which provided point accuracy <50cm. Note that no species of *Cyperus* were observed at Area 1 "Scannel Field", Area 3 "Boys and Girls Club", or Area 4 "Spring Valley Street".

Each study area had plant community similarities on some level, but due perhaps to their surrounding topography, orientation, or adjacent land uses, the specific composition of these communities differed at each. The Scannel Field site, for example had taller and denser canopy of red maple (*Acer rubrum*), silver maple (*Acer saccharinum*), and willow (*Salix babylonica*) coupled with a steep embankment. Due to these features, the Scannel Field site and had the least ground cover of the four, followed by the Boys and Girls Club site, which was quite similar in terms of features and plant community. Finally, the Spring Valley site was fairly disturbed due to the street drain culvert and what appeared to be a recent tree that toppled and impacted the shoreline. Figure 2 represents the prevailing conditions at each site.





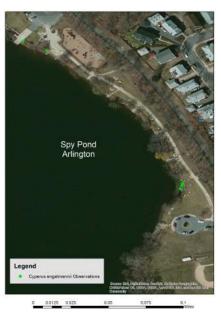


Figure 1: Study Area map (source: LEC) showing each of the four foci of the botanical survey work (left) and observations of *Cyperus engelmannii* within Study Area 2 "Spy Pond Park" (right).

At each Cyperus observation, the inflorescence and stem were closely examined in the field. Portions of individual florets were removed and flower parts measured. In some cases, sandy or muddy sediment near the base of the stem was lightly exhumed to assess stem thickness and root/storage structures (if present). As detailed in the Survey protocol, the goal was to distinguish Cyperus engelmannii from C. strigosus or C. odoratus. In all but a few cases, the floral scales appeared to overlap when viewed with a 10x loupe or magnified with a 40x dissection scope (Figure 3) and stem bases were stiff and swollen suggesting that a determination of C. engelmannii was unlikely. In fewer cases, observations of the floral scale arrangement, position, and length were indicative of *C. engelmannii*. Two plants were collected in their entirety for additional observations using a dissecting scope back at the lab, as were portion of the inflorescence of each plant observed. A total of 44 individual plants were examined. After reviewing the data, the majority appeared to be C. strigosus, while 8-10 appear to be C. engelmannii. These determinations are based on 1) the presence of overlapping or non-overlapping floral scales (Figure 3), 2) average scale length, 3) stiff stems, particularly at the base, and 4) presence of nutrient storing structures at or under the sediment surface. The floral characteristics were more definitive and less invasive to examine than root/rhizome structures and were the primary determining factor in differentiation to the species level. In all cases, observations occurred in disturbed areas beneath an open canopy. The most dense grouping of plants occurred at a muddy, shallowly sloped shore that appears regularly mowed, just north of the Linwood Street cul de sac, where it grows with C. strigosus and Ludwigia palustris. The other two observations are among C. strigosus in sandy soils, again, under an open canopy in a relatively disturbed portion of shoreline.





Figure 2: Clockwise from top left, existing conditions at Area 1 "Scannel Field", Area 2 "Spy Pond Park", Area 3 "Boys and Girls Club", and Area 4 "Spring Valley Street".

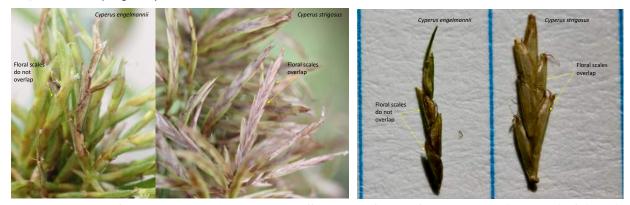


Figure 3: Comparison of *C. engenmannii* and *C. strigosus* at different magnifications from specimen collected in the field at the Spy Pond site, noting key characteristics between the two.



While the examination of plants observed suggests that *C. engelmanni* does not exhibit a dominant presence at the sites studied (Figure 1), it should be noted that it is present at Area 2, and suitable habitat exists throughout much the non-hardened shoreline habitats of Spy Pond. Therefore, it is possible that this rare species is also present outside of the immediate study areas and may be observed in greater abundance under different environmental conditions in the past or future. That said, the assessment reported herein was thorough and conducted at an appropriate time of year to make a positive determination of presence and extent of *C. engelmanni*. Therefore, I am confident that these findings accurately represent present-day conditions. I remain happy to conduct additional surveys as needed.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please don't hesitate to contact me at gregg.moore@unh.edu.

Sincerely,

Gregg E. Moore, Ph.D. Wetland Ecologist

NHESP PLANT OBSERVATION REPORT

P4926

PLANT IDENTIFICATION

Common Name:

Engelmann's Flatsedge

Scientific Name:

Cyperus engelmannii

Conservation Status:

Threatened

EO#:

Not Answered

Town:

Arlington

Site Name:

Spy Pond

Are you confident of this species ID?

Yes

Explanation: Not Answered

Description of the diagnostic characteristics upon which the ID was based (including how distinguished from congeners or look-alikes)

Floral scale characteristics, sclae length, stem stiffness, and nutrient storage structures near sediment surface. See report attached.

Reference: Not Answered

Was the organism's species identification made by someone other than the observer?

No

Photographs or slides taken?

Yes

Was a specimen collected and curated for deposition in a biological research collection?

No, repository: Not Answered, collection #: Not Answered

LOCATIONS

Directions:

Access to site from Massachusetts Avenue.

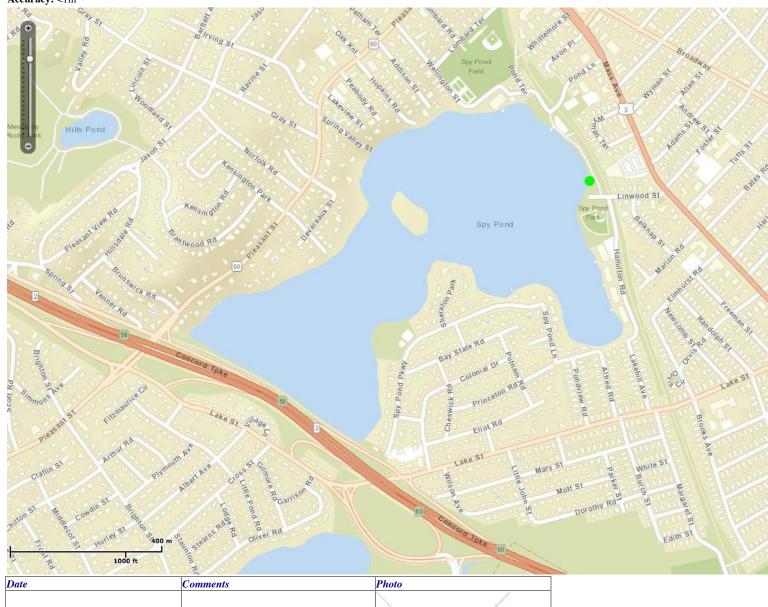
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Coordinates(x,y): -71.149473,42.409706

Coordinate Source: GPS Unit

Other Coordinate Source: Not Answered

Accuracy: <1m



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October, 2017

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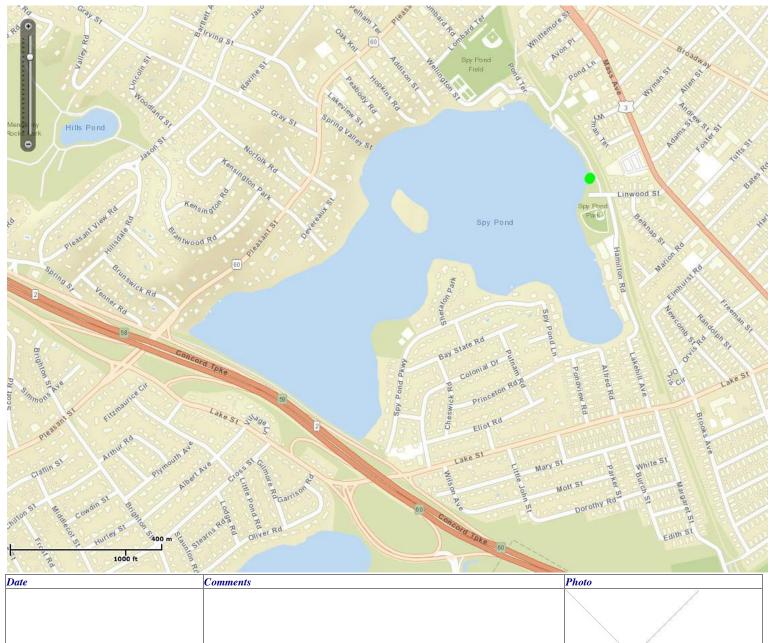
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Several individuals, co-occurring with

Lugwigia palustris



Date	Comments	Photo
	Several individuals, amongst muddy substrate disturbed by mowing. Plants rather short, <15cm, flowering (evidence of frequent mowing disturbance?)	

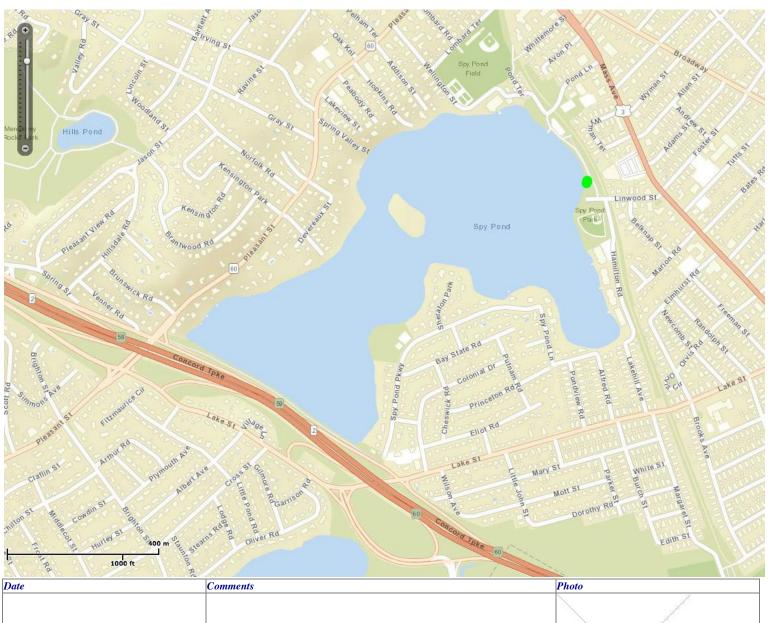
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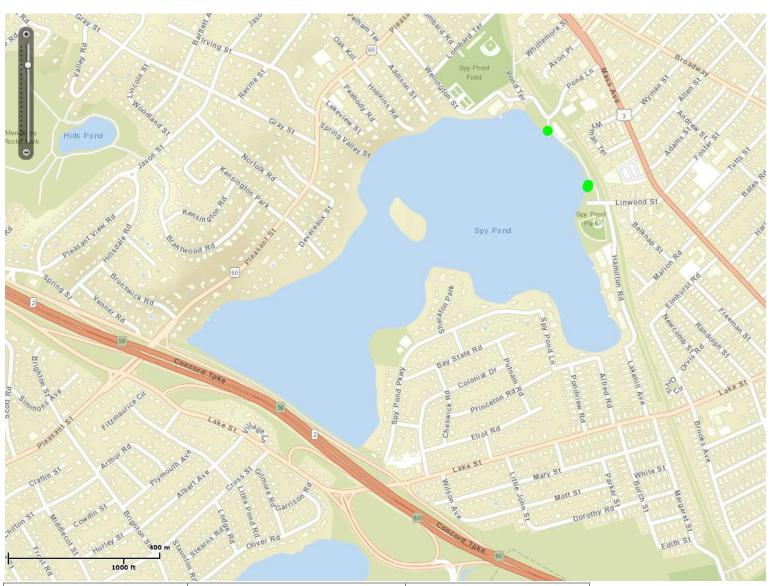
Date	Comments	Photo
October, 2017	Similar to Observation 2, but separated from others by large boulders. Muddy substrate. Evidence of disturbance from mowing.	

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Accuracy: <1m



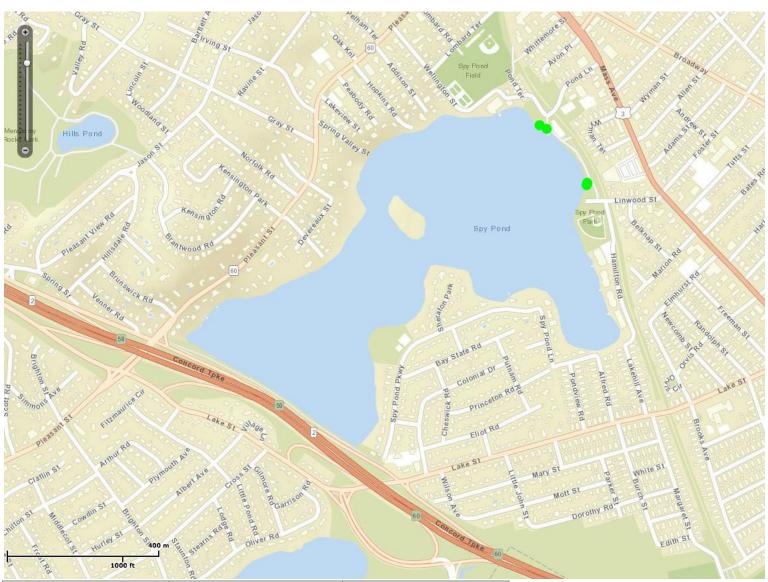
Date	Comments	Photo
October, 2017	Two indiduals, among/co-occurring with C. strigosus in sandy soil.	

Location Name: Location #5 **Location Type:** Point

Coordinates(x,y): -71.150985,42.411129 Coordinate Source: GPS Unit

Other Coordinate Source: Not Answered

Accuracy: <1m



Date	Comments	Photo
October, 2017	One individual. Among C. strig Sandy soil.	osus.

SITE INFO

Describe the habitat, including the natural community and associated species:

Not Answered

Habitat Descriptors:

Landform/Topography:

Shore / Lake / Stream

Soil Moisture Regime:

Wet

Aspect:

Not Answered

14/

Slope:

Not Answered

Flat

Light:

Open

Elevation:

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Soil Type(s):

Not Answered

Surficial Geology:

Not Answered

Bedrock Geology:

Not Answered

<u>List invasive species present and describe their perceived threat level:</u>

Phragmites and Lythrum salicaria. moderate threat.

Please describe other observed threats to the population at this site:

Recreational use, landsacping/mowing.

Managed Area Name (if applicable):

Not Answered

Contact Person (name/tel#/email), if known:

Not Answered

Property Owners

Name Address Town State Zip Parcel Comment

POPULATION INFO

Did your survey encompass the entire population extent, if known?

Yes

Approximate area occupied by the population:

2 meters squared

<u>Total number of 'genets' (i.e., genetically distinct, or clearly separate individuals):</u>

10, Estimate

<u>Total number of 'ramets' (i.e., stems or shoots arising from clones):</u>

Not Answered, Estimate

Please indicate the # or % in each age class and condition, if known, or just check all that apply: (Type: Count)

Age Classes Present	Reproductive Condition of the Population		
Not Answered Seedlings	Not Answered Vegetative	Not Answered Mature fruit	
Not Answered Immature Plants	Not Answered In bud	Not Answered Seed dispersing	
10 Mature Plants	10 In flower	Not Answered Senescent	
Not Answered Plants of unknown age	Not Answered Immature fruit	Not Answered Dormant	

<u>How would you characterize the vigor of this population?</u>

fair

Have you observed this species at this site in previous years?

No, Details: Not Answered

OTHER **O**BSERVATION INFO

Was the observation associated with a formal survey?

No

Is this observation associated with a Collection Permit?

Yes, Collection Permit #: on file

What are your recommendations for future inventory, monitoring, research, and/or management?

Not Answered

What are your protection recommendations?

Not Answered

Is this observation associated with a NHESP review file?

Yes ,Tracking #: on file

<u>List the names of other observers(and qualifications):</u>

Gregg E. Moore, Ph.D. Associate Research Professor at UNH, dept of Biology

Observer Information:

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Town: Durham State: NH Zip: 03824

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OBSERVER COMMENTS

Observation Date Comment

PHOTOS/DOCUMENTS

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Final Report_Spy Pond.pdf	Final Report_Spy Pond.pdf	Document		

APPENDIX D CORRESPONDENCE WITH NHESP



From: Richard Kirby < RKirby@lecenvironmental.com>

Sent: Monday, September 25, 2017 2:50 PM

To: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE)

Cc: Holt, Emily (FWE); Holmes, Hilary; Moore, Gregg; Brian Madden

Subject: RE: Spy Pond Botanical Survey

Thank you Misty-Anne, and thanks for the thoughtful phone call earlier today. We will keep you posted per our discussions.

Team, see below.

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From: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE) [mailto:misty-anne.marold@MassMail.State.MA.US]

Sent: Monday, September 25, 2017 2:47 PM

To: Richard Kirby <RKirby@lecenvironmental.com> **Cc:** Holt, Emily (FWE) <emily.holt@state.ma.us>

Subject: RE: Spy Pond Botanical Survey

RE: NHESP 09-26949, Spy Pond Botanical Survey

Richard,

The Division has received and reviewed the botanical survey protocol entitled "Botanical Survey Protocol Engelmann's Umbrella Sedge (*Cyperus engelmanni*) Spy Pond Arlington, Massachusetts" dated 9/11/2017 (received via email 9/13/17). We approve the botanical survey to be conducted by Dr. Gregg E. Moore for documentation of the presence of *C. engelmanni* within the target areas. It may still be possible to identify the plants in 2017, but if not, then surveys can be conducted in 2018 without re-filing.

As discussed, it is important for the team to identify the source(s) of erosion at each location and ensure that any proposed project focus on those causative factors. The survey will not be conclusive for the absence of *C. engelmanni*. Dr. Moore should also map areas containing suitable and unsuitable habitats and determine the role of upslope erosion on degradation or maintenance of said habitats. In all areas where plants are found to be present, care should be taken to extend the survey area to adjacent suitable habitats that may offer reconfiguration opportunities for the town project and would help avoid impacts to the plants.

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Best, Misty-Anne

Misty-Anne R. Marold

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From: Richard Kirby [mailto:RKirby@lecenvironmental.com]

Sent: Wednesday, September 20, 2017 9:53 AM

To: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE) **Subject:** Spy Pond Botanical Survey

Hello Misty-Anne:

I left you a message yesterday returning your call regarding the Spy Pond project and LEC's request for Protocol approval.

While the project has yet to be designed, attached is the RFP to give you a better sense of what is proposed. Please let me know if you require any additional information for approval.

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Thanks. Rich

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From: Richard Kirby < RKirby@lecenvironmental.com>

Sent: Friday, October 27, 2017 1:08 PM

To: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE)

Cc: Holt, Emily (FWE); Moore, Gregg; Holmes, Hilary; Brian Madden

Subject: RE: Spy Pond Botanical Survey **Attachments:** FINAL Botanical Survey Report.pdf

Misty-Anne and Emily,

Please find attached Dr. Moore's Botanical Survey Report for your review. Hatch and LEC will be in touch next week to schedule a site visit with you to review and discuss potential shore-line stabilization and restoration measures intended for the subject portions of Spy Pond and associated MESA permitting considerations. Let us know if you have any questions in the meantime.

Thanks, Rich

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From: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE) [mailto:misty-anne.marold@MassMail.State.MA.US]

Sent: Tuesday, September 26, 2017 9:07 AM **To:** Richard Kirby <RKirby@lecenvironmental.com> **Cc:** Holt, Emily (FWE) <emily.holt@state.ma.us>

Subject: RE: Spy Pond Botanical Survey

Richard,

Have a survey this season will be helpful. For example, if a water access feature leads directly to a hot-spot, it will help focus on re-design. So, on the whole, I think the survey is important as it will help guide alternatives.

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Misty-Anne

Misty-Anne R. Marold

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From: Richard Kirby [mailto:RKirby@lecenvironmental.com]

Sent: Monday, September 25, 2017 4:09 PM

To: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE)

Cc: Holt, Emily (FWE)

Subject: RE: Spy Pond Botanical Survey

Misty-Anne.

I spoke with my contact at Hatch, and they anticipate a fall 2018 start date. Would you recommend a 2018 botanical survey to locate individual plants for relocation prior to work? Or do you think a survey this year is also prudent. I suppose a condition of approval will be to ID and relocate plants, so Dr. Moore would likely be out at the site anyway next September.

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From: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE) [mailto:misty-anne.marold@MassMail.State.MA.US]

Sent: Monday, September 25, 2017 2:47 PM

To: Richard Kirby < RKirby@lecenvironmental.com >
Cc: Holt, Emily (FWE) < emily.holt@state.ma.us >

Subject: RE: Spy Pond Botanical Survey

RE: NHESP 09-26949, Spy Pond Botanical Survey

Richard,

The Division has received and reviewed the botanical survey protocol entitled "Botanical Survey Protocol Engelmann's Umbrella Sedge (*Cyperus engelmanni*) Spy Pond Arlington, Massachusetts" dated 9/11/2017 (received via email 9/13/17). We approve the botanical survey to be conducted by Dr. Gregg E. Moore for documentation of the presence of *C. engelmanni* within the target areas. It may still be possible to identify the plants in 2017, but if not, then surveys can be conducted in 2018 without re-filing.

As discussed, it is important for the team to identify the source(s) of erosion at each location and ensure that any proposed project focus on those causative factors. The survey will not be conclusive for the absence of *C. engelmanni*. Dr. Moore should also map areas containing suitable and unsuitable habitats and determine the role of upslope erosion on degradation or maintenance of said habitats. In all areas where plants are found to be present, care should be taken to extend the survey area to adjacent suitable habitats that may offer reconfiguration opportunities for the town project and would help avoid impacts to the plants.

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Best, Misty-Anne

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From: Richard Kirby [mailto:RKirby@lecenvironmental.com]

Sent: Wednesday, September 20, 2017 9:53 AM

To: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE) **Subject:** Spy Pond Botanical Survey

Hello Misty-Anne:

I left you a message yesterday returning your call regarding the Spy Pond project and LEC's request for Protocol approval.

While the project has yet to be designed, attached is the RFP to give you a better sense of what is proposed. Please let me know if you require any additional information for approval.

Thanks.

Rich

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From: Holmes, Hilary

Sent: Thursday, November 30, 2017 5:47 PM

To: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE)

Cc: Richard Kirby; Moore, Gregg; Bitsko, Duke; Lela Shepherd; Johnson, Ginna; karro.frost@state.ma.us

Subject: Spy Pond - Site walk follow-up

Hi Misty-Anne,

I wanted to thank you and Karro Frost for taking the time to meet with our team out at the Spy Pond project site. The discussion was helpful and will inform how we proceed with the design and permitting. Below I have provided a summary of the main items we talked about.

- 1. Importance for the Hatch team to identify the sources of erosion at each location and ensure that proposed improvements focus on those causative factors. Some of the sources of erosion for Spy Pond Park that were discussed included human use, the existing boat ramp, North Beach access ramp, and wave action.
- 2. Past GPS locations for sedge NHESP to provide information from previous botanical surveys. Hatch team to review locations and elevations to inform design.
- 3. Take a strategic approach to shoreline stabilization
 - a. For areas next to known rare sedge habitat (in general sunny with gentler slope) Hatch team to look into other alternatives to coir fascines/regrading that will not alter habitat and look at strategic locations for stabilization. Some of the locations discussed included stabilizing the shoreline edge where it meets the boat ramp, regrading at the existing stormwater outfall at the stone wall, and repositioning boulders to angle back at the North Beach access.
 - b. For the South Beach, an area known as rare sedge habitat, Hatch team to consider less mowing or no mowing to improve habitat
 - c. Areas that were steep and shady were not considered to be providing habitat for the rare sedge. This included some of the steeper shoreline areas within the Park, Scannell Field, Boys & Girls Club area, and Spring Valley Street. Hatch team to look at other options in addition to coir fascines/regrading.
- 4. Stone base for coir fascines Hatch will revisit whether or not the stone base is necessary. The stone base is typically used in locations with silty sediment. Hatch will confirm material prior to final design.

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Please let us know if you have any additional feedback.

Thank you, Hilary

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From: Bitsko, Duke

Sent:Tuesday, March 27, 2018 3:19 PMTo:misty-anne.marold@state.ma.usCc:Holmes, Hilary; Bitsko, Duke

Subject: Arlington Spy Pond Shoreline Restoration Project

Attachments: Sketch_Boat_Ramp_Sedge_3.27.2018.pdf

Misty-Anne,

I will call to find out when you might be free to discuss some options at Spy Pond in Arlington. Attached is a photo of one of the three areas where the Engelmann's sedge was field located, and sketch section.

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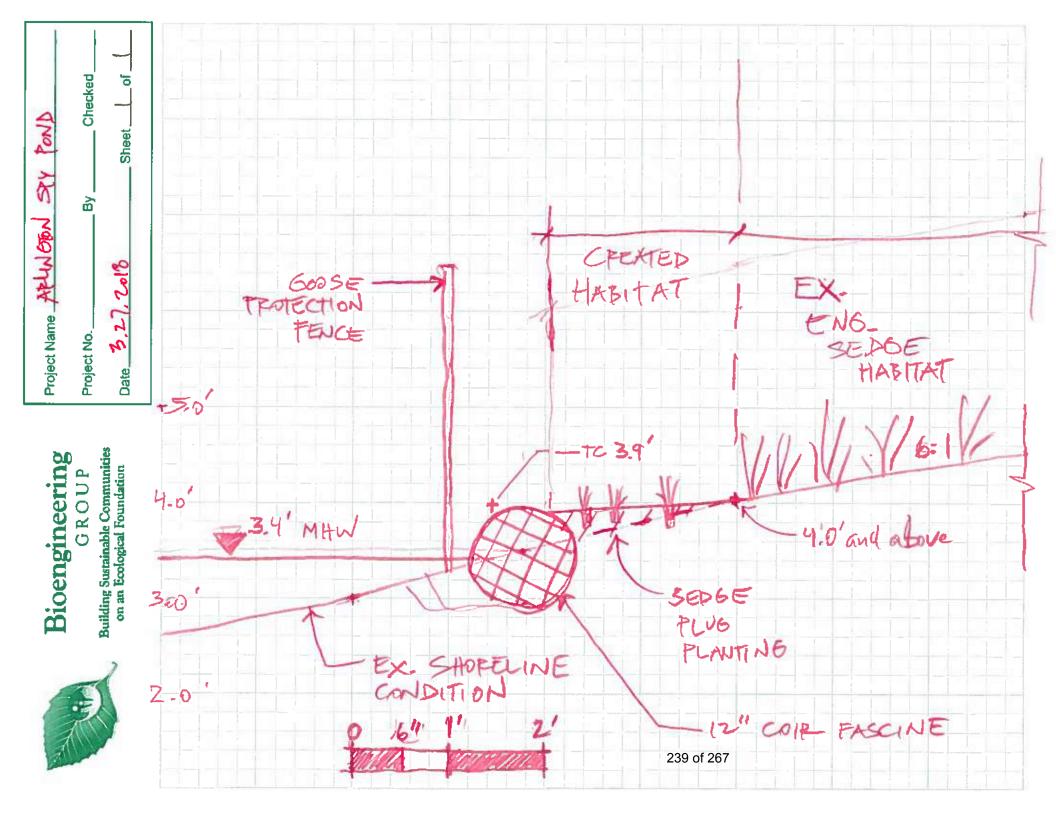
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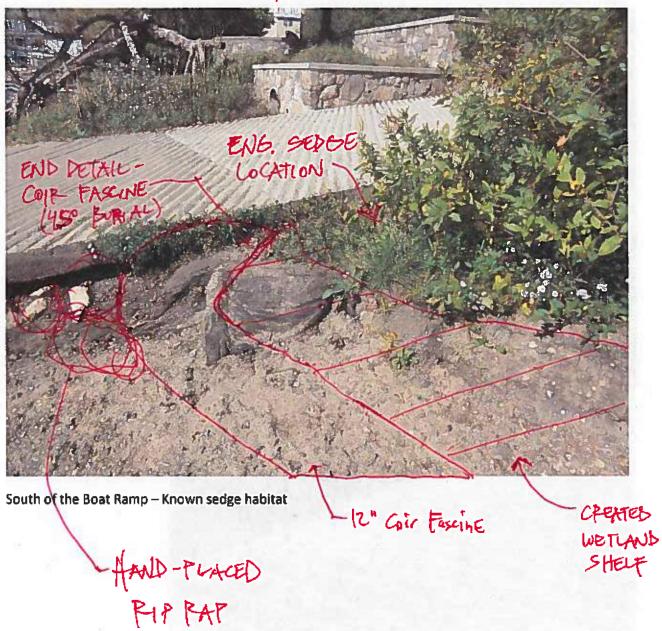
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From: Bitsko, Duke

Sent: Monday, May 21, 2018 12:45 PM
To: misty-anne.marold@state.ma.us
Cc: Holmes, Hilary; Bitsko, Duke

Subject: RE: Arlington Spy Pond Shoreline Restoration Project **Attachments:** Photo_Overlook_location.pdf; overlook_plan.pdf

Misty-Anne,

The previous sketch plan I sent is still valid. The goal is to not propose any work other than supplemental planting in the riparian zone associated with the E. sedge.

I have attached a plan of the only other treatment along the Spy Pond Park shoreline: a small timber overlook on helical pilings. This is located in the area where there is the steepest embankment (12-18") within the park, and next to South Beach.

The overlook will be constructed in the area shown in the attached photograph of the boulder/slab water access point. The boulders and slabs will be removed, the shoreline re-graded and planted, and the overlook constructed above the restored shoreline. It is the Town of Arlington's hope that the construction of the overlook will minimize circulation along the existing shoreline in this location.

At your convenience I would like to discuss developing a proactive strategy for the Town/contractor to sequence construction activities that will protect the riparian zone habitat as well as the South Beach area (long-term).

Please call or email with any questions/comments.

Best, Duke

From: Bitsko, Duke

Sent: Tuesday, March 27, 2018 3:19 PM **To:** misty-anne.marold@state.ma.us

Cc: Holmes, Hilary hilary.holmes@hatch.com; Bitsko, Duke <duke.bitsko@hatch.com>

Subject: Arlington Spy Pond Shoreline Restoration Project

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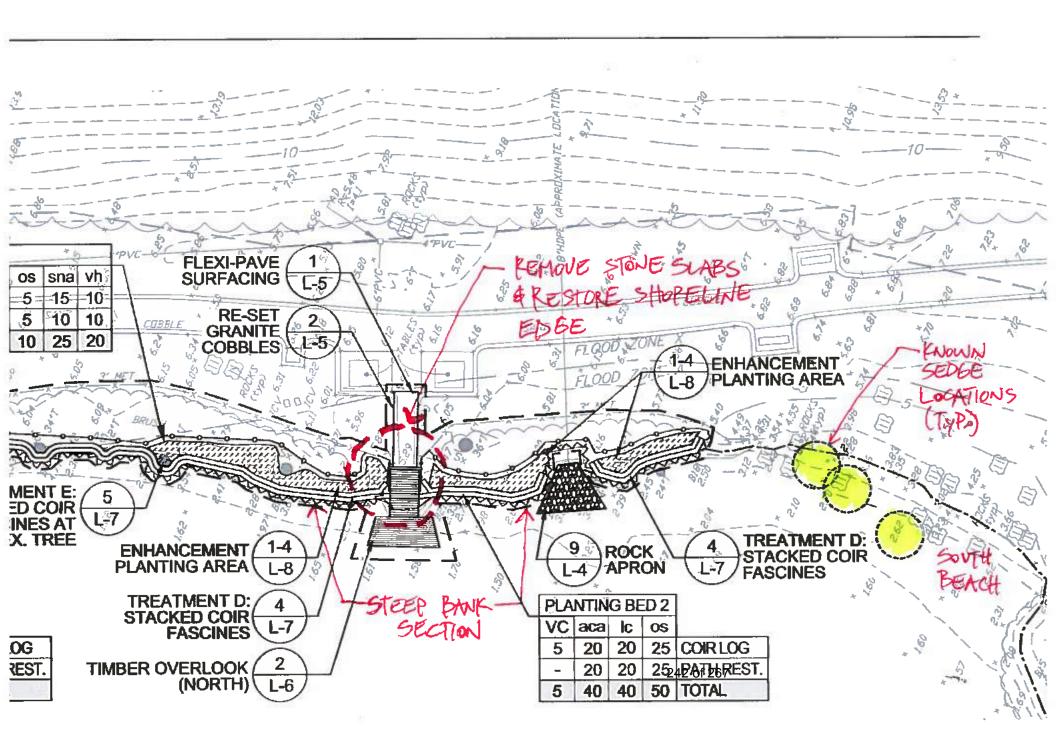
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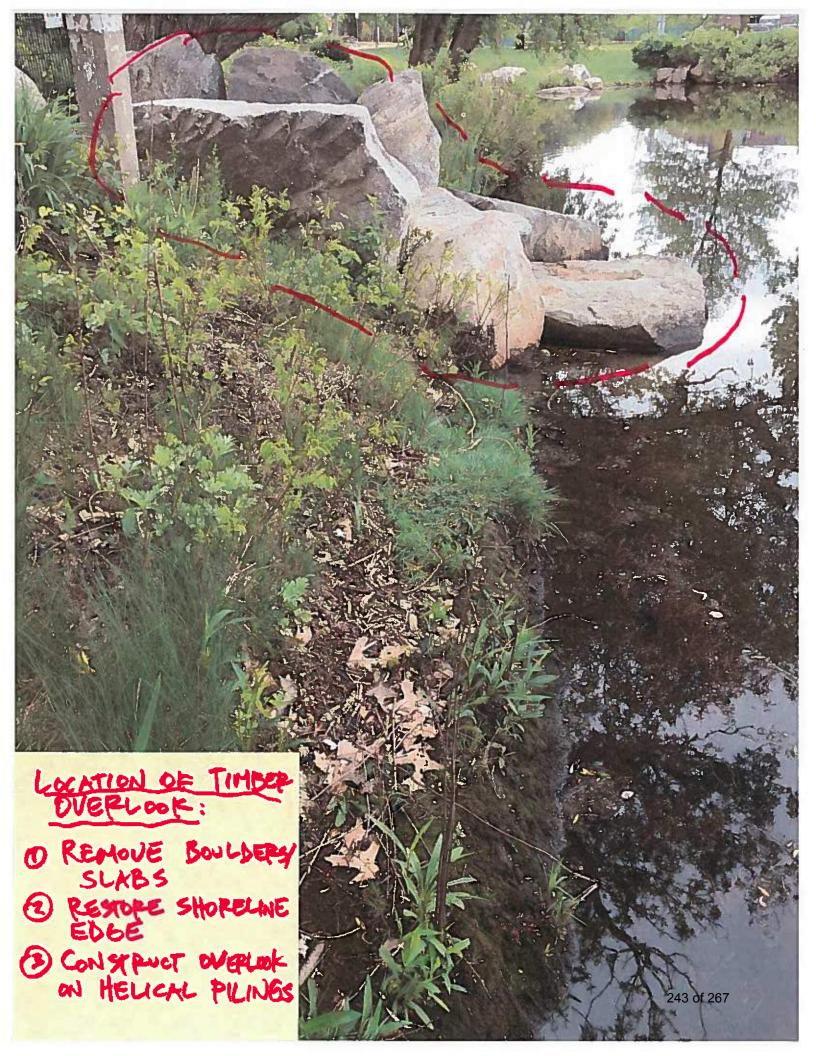
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From: Bitsko, Duke

Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 9:28 AM **To:** Holmes, Hilary; Lela Shepherd

Subject: FW: Spy Pond

Please see email below from Karro.

Our meeting went very well on Friday. Misty-Anne was sick and did not attend. I will follow up this morning with a summary. Thanks, Duke

From: Frost, Karro (FWE) [mailto:karro.frost@state.ma.us]

Sent: Friday, June 8, 2018 4:58 PM

To: Bitsko, Duke <duke.bitsko@hatch.com>

Cc: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE) <misty-anne.marold@state.ma.us>; Leddick, Jesse (FWE) <jesse.leddick@state.ma.us>

Subject: Spy Pond

Hi Duke,

I'm glad that Jesse Leddick was able to sit in for Misty-Anne today. It was good to meet you and discuss the project. Thank you for coming.

I have looked at our data points in the vicinity of your project and noticed two things:

First, we never received a VPRS report from Greg Moore. We need that in order for his information to go into our database. Please ask Greg to submit that as soon as possible.

Second, the points that we do have are approximately in the same location as those shown on your plan. Obviously, I can't compare really since I don't have the points from Greg but no plants have ever been recorded in our database along the steep section of bank. Once Misty-Anne is back next week, I'm sure she will be in touch.

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From: Bitsko, Duke

Sent: Wednesday, June 13, 2018 3:29 PM

To: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE); Leddick, Jesse (FWE); Frost, Karro (FWE)

Cc: Holmes, Hilary; Lela Shepherd

Subject: RE: Arlington Spy Pond Project and Engelmann's sedge strategy for protection

Attachments: SPP_Sedge_alt_plan.pdf; SPP_sedge_alt_section.pdf

Misty-Anne, Karro, and Jesse,

Please see attached sketch plan and section which will replace Treatment C (Detail 3/L-7) on our previous plan set submission. Ideally we would be re-using the granite boulders removed from one of the existing overlooks to:

1. Reduce foot traffic

- 2. protect the existing seedbank in the lower, shallow zones
- 3. reduce wave action

Let us know if you have any questions or comments. Thanks, Duke.

From: Bitsko, Duke

Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 5:52 PM

To: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE) <misty-anne.marold@state.ma.us>; Leddick, Jesse (FWE) <jesse.leddick@state.ma.us>;

Frost, Karro (FWE) < karro.frost@state.ma.us>

Cc: Holmes, Hilary < hilary.holmes@hatch.com>; Bitsko, Duke < duke.bitsko@hatch.com>; Lela Shepherd

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Subject: Arlington Spy Pond Project and Engelmann's sedge strategy for protection

Karro and Jesse,

Thanks to your group for taking the time last Friday to meet and discuss the Arlington Spy Pond project, especially given the fact I did not see Misty-Anne's email! I really enjoyed your net-zero building, educational signage, 4-trout stream, and meadow habitat.

Below please find a summary of our meeting last Friday, June 8th. Please let me know if I missed anything or need to provide additional clarification.

Hatch (Duke) provided an agenda and an overview of shoreline stabilization experience, existing project area, and proposed approach within Spy Pond Park (SPP). He also discussed an adjacent shoreline restoration project that constructed a wetland shelf and coir fascine breakwater that appears to have never taken hold.

NHESP comments:

1. Most concerned with shallow slope areas over steeper areas for sedge habitat; in SPP these areas include areas of known Engelmann's sedge identification, adjacent to concrete boat ramp, North Beach, and South Beach; these areas are slightly more protected as they are above the MHW mark of 3.4' elevation and protected from foot traffic as they are abutting hard structures

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2. Avoid disturbance in observed E. sedge locations

- 3. Not concerned in steeper shoreline areas within SPP, especially those areas that are heavily shaded
- 4. Does not like Detail 3/L-7: Coir Fascine Treatment at Sedge Habitat, for the following reasons:
 - Filling of soil above existing seed bank not recommended
 - Bringing off-site soil may bring additional unwanted plant species
- 5. Construction Staging preference for staging and access for main parking area and concrete boat ramp; not South Beach due to presence of favorable sedge habitat
- 6. Construction Schedule (Spy Pond Park) preference for Fall 2019, due to possibility of E. sedge growth during spring if pond level is drawn down for construction
- 7. Transplanting Englemann's sedge not recommended as sedge is an annual and don't want to impact existing seed bank
- 8. New Plantings
 - favor native, low-growing, non-aggressive plant species
 - review feasibility for NEWFS to collect seed and germinate off-season
- 9. Proposed Overlook -
 - not opposed to location or impact; steeper shoreline not a favorable habitat for E. sedge
 - controlled access to water is favorable
- 10. Future Town Crew Dock and Access Path -
 - not opposed to location or impact
 - maximize opening of gangway decking for sunlight, as practicable
 - look at (existing) permanent fencing option to deter users from accessing shoreline adjacent to gangway

Next Steps:

- 11. NHESP to provide historical documentation of E. sedge at Spy Pond
- 12. Hatch to provide alternative solution to protect existing sedge areas by COB Tuesday so that NHESP can provide feedback prior to the NOI submittal.

As discussed at the end of our meeting, I have prepared a sketch plan and section identifying a solution to provide additional protection of the known sedge areas while avoiding disturbance within favorable E. sedge habitat. The sketch plans are currently being reviewed by the Town, and I will forward to you as soon as they have provided feedback.

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Thanks, Duke

Duke Bitsko, PLA

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From: Bitsko, Duke

Sent: Thursday, June 28, 2018 8:39 AM **To:** Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE)

Cc: Frost, Karro (FWE); Holmes, Hilary; Leddick, Jesse (FWE); Lela Shepherd

Subject: RE: Arlington Spy Pond Shoreline Restoration Project

Attachments: VPRS Report for Spy Pond.pdf

Misty-Anne,

Attached please find Dr. Gregg Moore's Plant Observation Report for your review and use.

Our permitting process via Chapter 91 is lengthy and we would like to submit the application (as well as NOI) as soon as possible. The Town of Arlington's grant identifies 2019 as the construction period for the four restoration sites including Spy Pond Park.

Please let me know when you think we can expect to receive comments on the meeting minutes, the revised sketch plan/section, and observation report.

Many thanks, Duke.

From: Bitsko, Duke

Sent: Thursday, June 21, 2018 4:05 PM

To: Marold, Misty-Anne (FWE) <misty-anne.marold@state.ma.us>

Cc: Frost, Karro (FWE) <karro.frost@state.ma.us>; Bitsko, Duke <duke.bitsko@hatch.com>; Holmes, Hilary

<hilary.holmes@hatch.com>

Subject: Arlington Spy Pond Shoreline Restoration Project

Hi, Misty-Anne.

We are working with Rich Kirby at LEC and Gregg Moore to upload the sedge locations to the VPRS site. We should have this completed by COB tomorrow.

Do you have a rough estimate of when NHESP could provide feedback on the Spy Pond project in relation to the protection of existing threatened umbrella sedge habitat? We have missed two deadlines for our NOI submission and I would like to let them know when we might submit.

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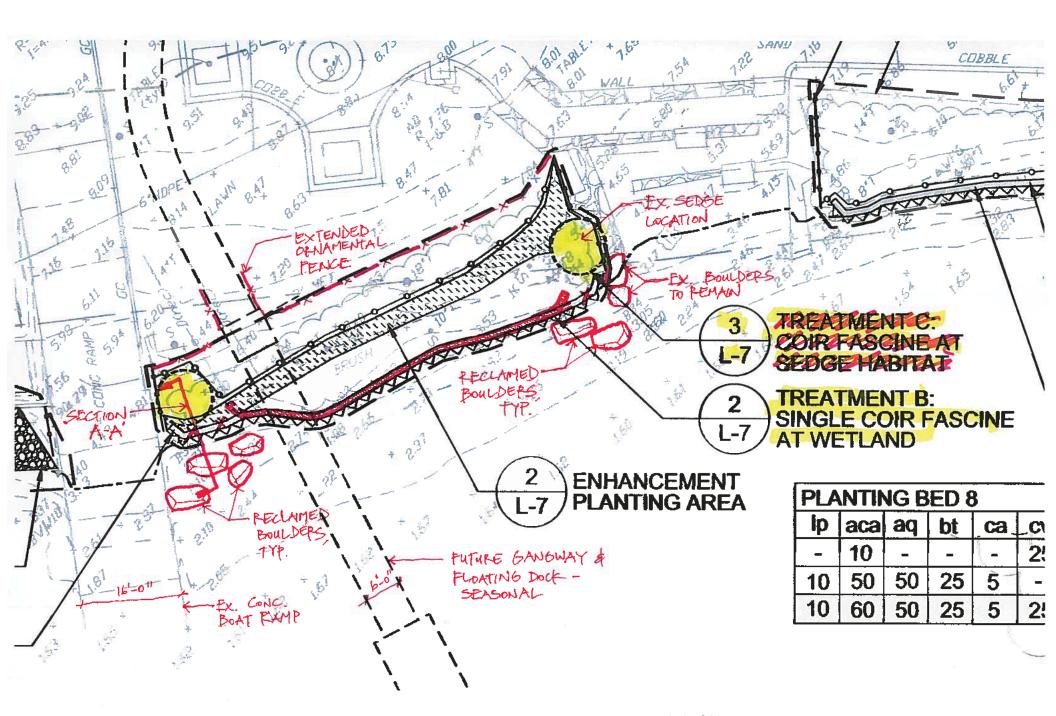
Thanks in advance. Duke

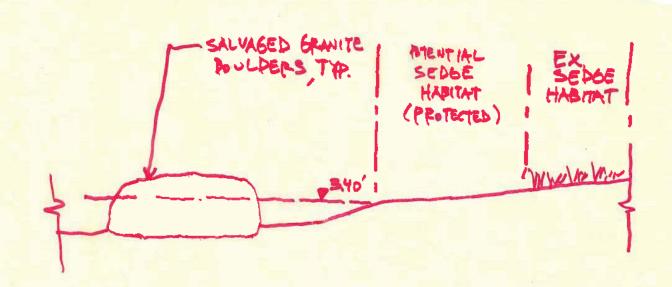
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SECTION A-A': BOULDER PROTECTION @ CONC. BOAT PAMP NOT TO SCALE

APPENDIX E OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE PLAN





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MEMO

{Date:} 7/18/18

{To:} Arlington Park and Recreation Commission

{From:} Hilary Holmes
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Spy Pond Project – Stormwater Operations and Maintenance Plan

General Information

- 1. Stormwater management system owner: Town of Arlington Park and Recreation Commission and Department and Public Works
- 2. Parties responsible for O&M: Town of Arlington Park and Recreation Commission and Department and Public Works. The Contractor is responsible for operations and maintenance of the system during construction.
- 3. Stormwater components and locations:
 - a. Spring Valley Street Bioretention Basin
 - b. Spy Pond Park and Scannell Field Vegetated Swale and Bioretention Basin
- 4. The stormwater management system will be inspected and cleaned prior to the completion of construction by the Contractor. A report of the inspection/cleaning will be forwarded to the design engineer and the Town of Arlington Conservation Commission. All material removed during the cleaning operations shall be disposed of in accordance with applicable guidelines and regulations.
- 5. The stormwater management system shall be inspected the first year of operation after large rainfall events (all storms greater than 1-inch in 24-hour period) to verify functionality.
- 6. All post construction maintenance activities will be documented and kept on file and made available to the Arlington Conservation Commission upon request.
- 7. The drainage system shall be maintained. The repair of any component of the system shall be made as soon as possible to prevent any potential pollutants (including silt) from entering the resource areas or the existing closed drainage system.

Construction of the System

Sediment and erosion control during construction will prevent possible damage to the drainage systems. The following guidelines shall be adhered to during construction.



- 1. Keep land disturbance to a minimum. Plan the phases of development so that only the areas actively being developed are exposed. All other areas should have natural vegetation preserved, have good temporary cover, or permanent vegetation established.
- 2. Stabilize disturbed areas. Permanent structures, temporary or permanent vegetation, and mulch should be employed as quickly as possible after land is disturbed.
- 3. Protect disturbed areas from stormwater runoff. Install erosion control or stormwater management measures to prevent water from entering and running over disturbed areas, and to prevent erosion damage to downstream facilities.
- 4. Install perimeter control practices. Use practices that isolate the development site from surrounding areas. Straw wattles shall be utilized.

Maintenance of the System

TABLE 1: STORMWATER GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICE (BMP)
MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM DURING CONSTRUCTION	

Sediment Control	Inspection	Maintenance Thresholds	Maintenance Action
Erosion control straw wattles	Weekly and after large storm events (more than 1-inch of rainfall in 24-hr period).	When accumulated sediment reaches ½ the height of the wattle; If the integrity of the system is compromised.	Remove and dispose of accumulated sediment; Restore the integrity of the system
Catch basins with Silt Sacks	Weekly and after large storm events (more than 1-inch of rainfall in 24-hr period).	When sack is ½ full or when flow capacity has been reduced so as to cause flooding or bypassing of the catch basin.	Remove and dispose of accumulated sediment; Damaged or clogged sacks shall be replaced.
Adjacent Roadways	Throughout construction.	Any sediment or debris deposited on roadways.	Remove and clean any sediment or debris deposited on the roadway due to construction activities
Grassed Swale	Weekly and after large storm events (more than 1-inch of rainfall in 24-hr period).	Flow to grassed swale shall be diverted until vegetation is stabilized.	Remove and dispose of any accumulated sediment at diversion; restore if needed
Bioretention Basin	Weekly and after large storm events (more than 1-inch of rainfall in 24-hr period).	Flow to grassed swale shall be diverted until vegetation is stabilized.	Remove and dispose of any accumulated sediment at diversion; restore if needed



TABLE 2: STORMWATER GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICE (BMP) POST CONSTRUCTION MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM

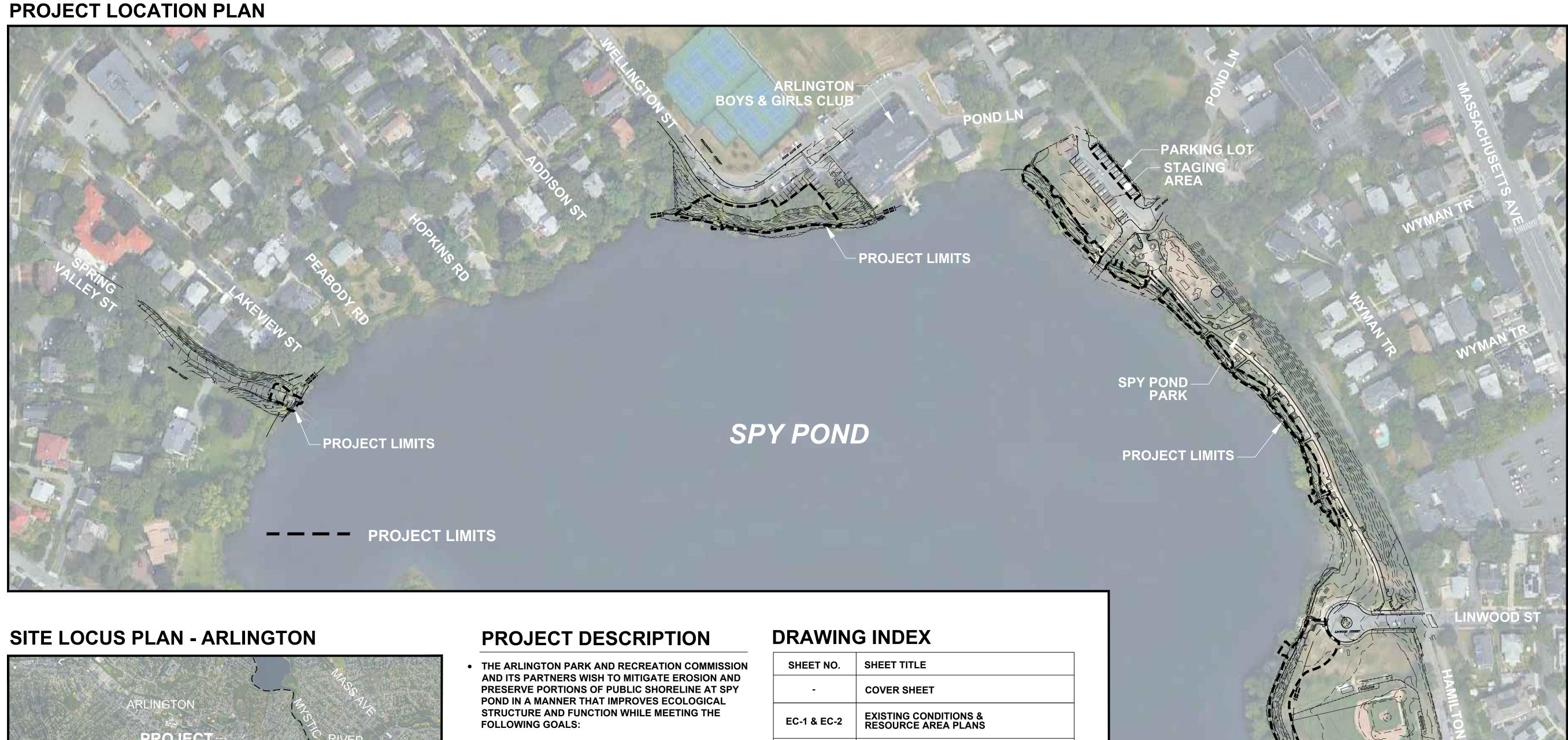
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Sediment Control	Maintenance Activity	Frequency	Specialty Equipment	Responsible Party
	Inspect swale and repair areas of erosion and revegetate	As needed, nut no less than annually		Parks and Recreation
Grassed Swale	Mow	As necessary. Grass height shall not exceed 6 inches	Mower	
	Remove sediment and debris manually	Monthly		
	Remove trash and debris from basin floor, inlets, and outlets; remove weeds and invasive species by hand (growing season only).	Monthly		Vegetation Management – Parks and Recreation; Friends of Spy Pond volunteers
Bioretention Basin	Inspect cleanouts and overflow structures and remove debris, sediment, trash; Jet-rod conveyance and underdrain pipes; remove sediment buildup.	Annually	Vacuum & jet-rodder equipment	Hard Structures - DPW
	Apply two inch (2") layer of clean hardwood mulch.	Every 3 to 5 years		

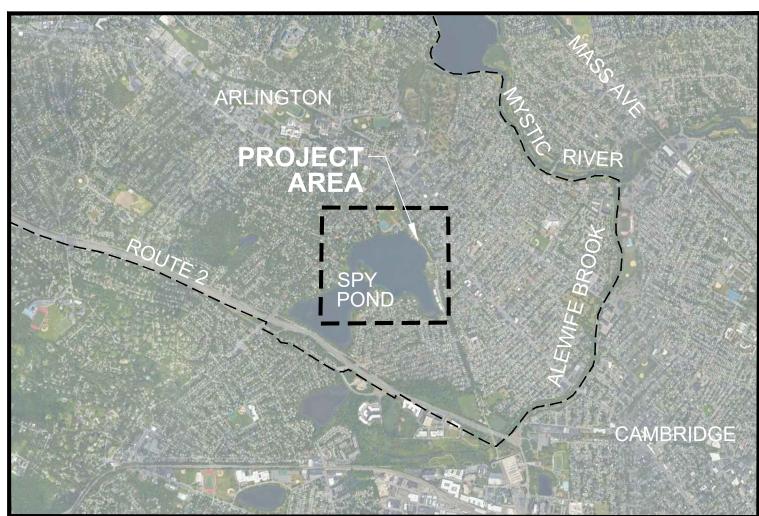
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SPY POND EDGE & EROSION CONTROL PROJECT

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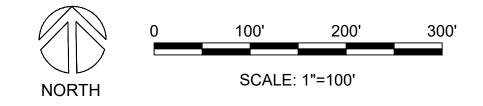


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- PRESERVE, STABILIZE AND STRENGTHEN APPROXIMATELY 1,530 LF OF SHORELINE TO SUSTAIN AND ENHANCE THE POND'S ECOLOGICAL HEALTH
- IDENTIFY AND CONTROL SOURCES OF EROSION ALONG THE BANKS OF THE POND
- PROTECT AND ENHANCE WILDLIFE HABITAT BY PROTECTING THE POND'S NATURAL EDGES WITH **BIOENGINEERING TECHNIQUES**
- CONTROL ACCESS TO THE VEGETATED BUFFER AREAS TO PREVENT UNAUTHORIZED PATHS ALONG THE SHORELINE
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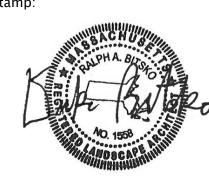
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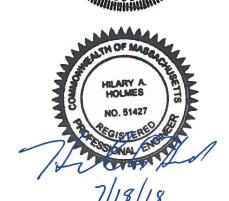




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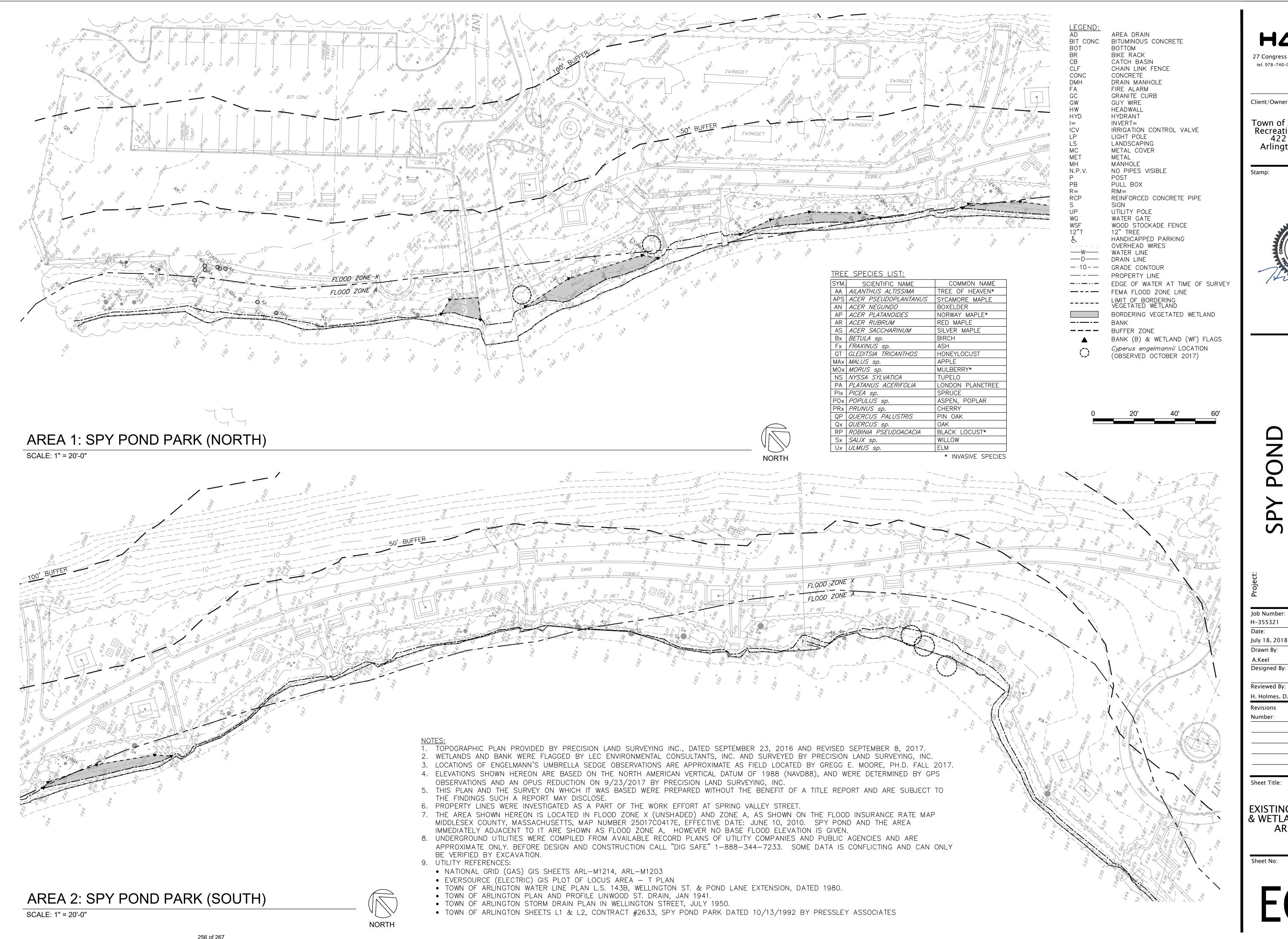
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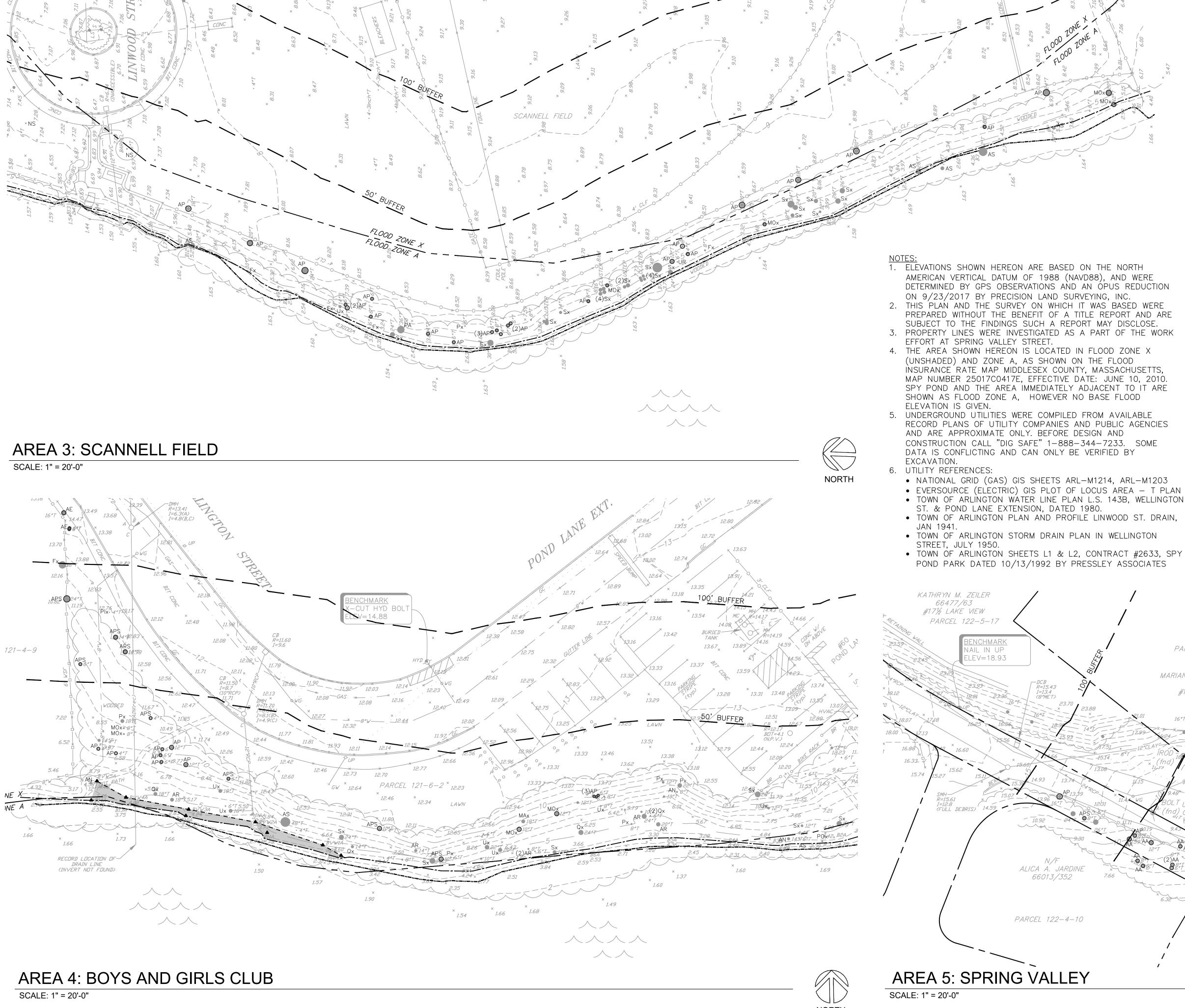


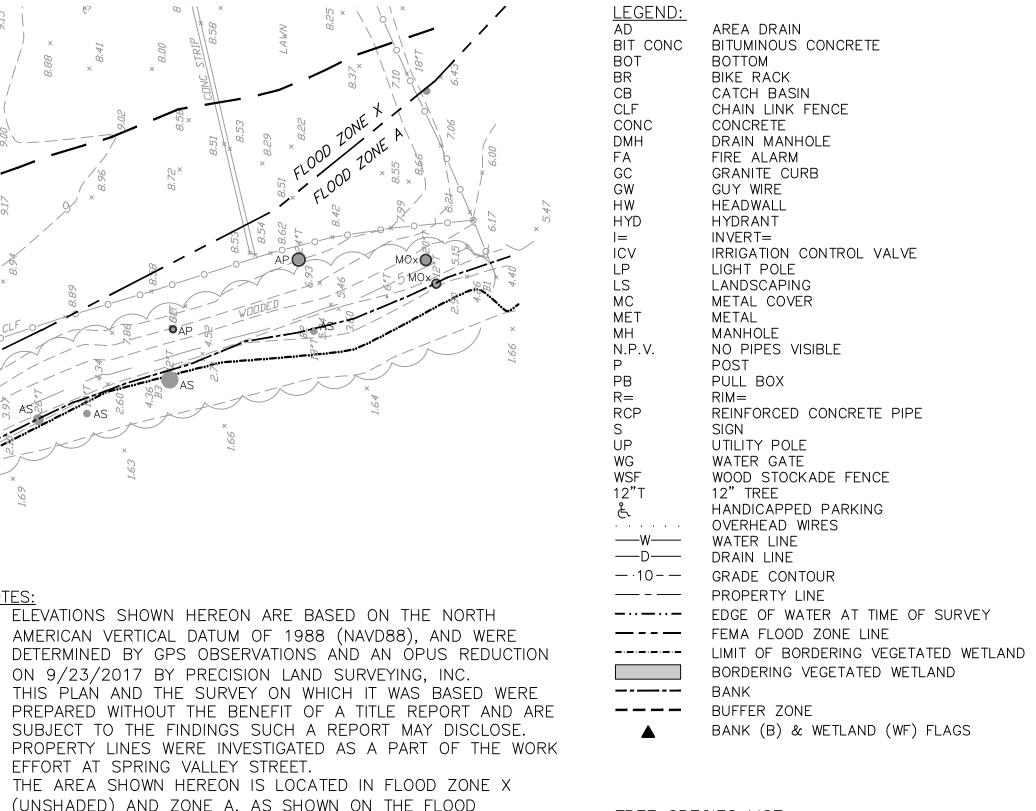
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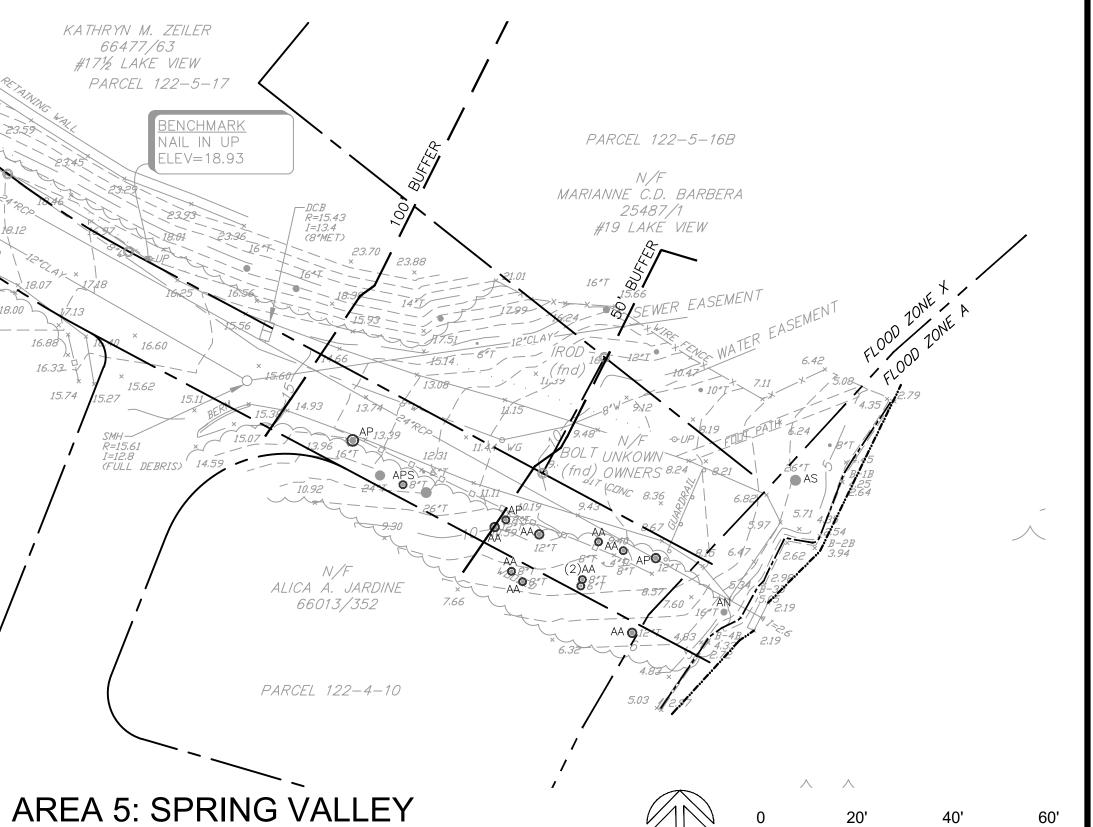
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AN	ACER NEGUNDO	BOXELDER
AP	ACER PLATANOIDES	NORWAY MAPLE*
AR	ACER RUBRUM	RED MAPLE
AS	ACER SACCHARINUM	SILVER MAPLE
	BETULA sp.	BIRCH
	FRAXINUS sp.	ASH
GT	GLEDITSIA TRICANTHOS	HONEYLOCUST
MAx	MALUS sp.	APPLE
	MORUS sp.	MULBERRY*
NS	NYSSA SYLVATICA	TUPELO
PA	PLATANUS ACERIFOLIA	LONDON PLANETREE
	PICEA sp.	SPRUCE
	POPULUS sp.	ASPEN, POPLAR
PRx	PRUNUS sp.	CHERRY
QP	QUERCUS PALUSTRIS	PIN OAK
Qx	QUERCUS sp.	OAK
RP	ROBINIA PSEUDOACACIA	BLACK LOCUST*
Sx	SALIX sp.	WILLOW
Ux	ULMUS sp.	ELM

* INVASIVE SPECIES



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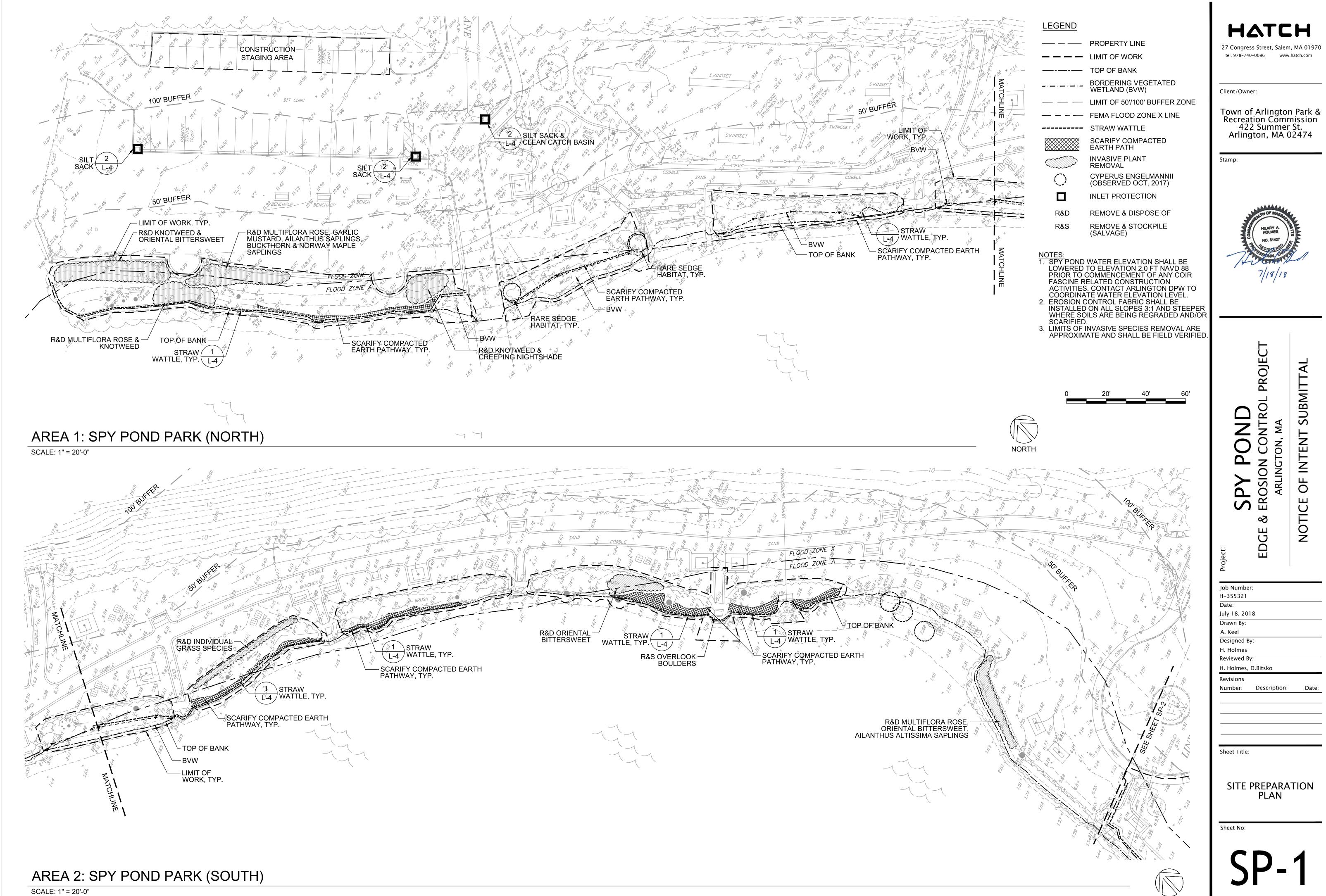
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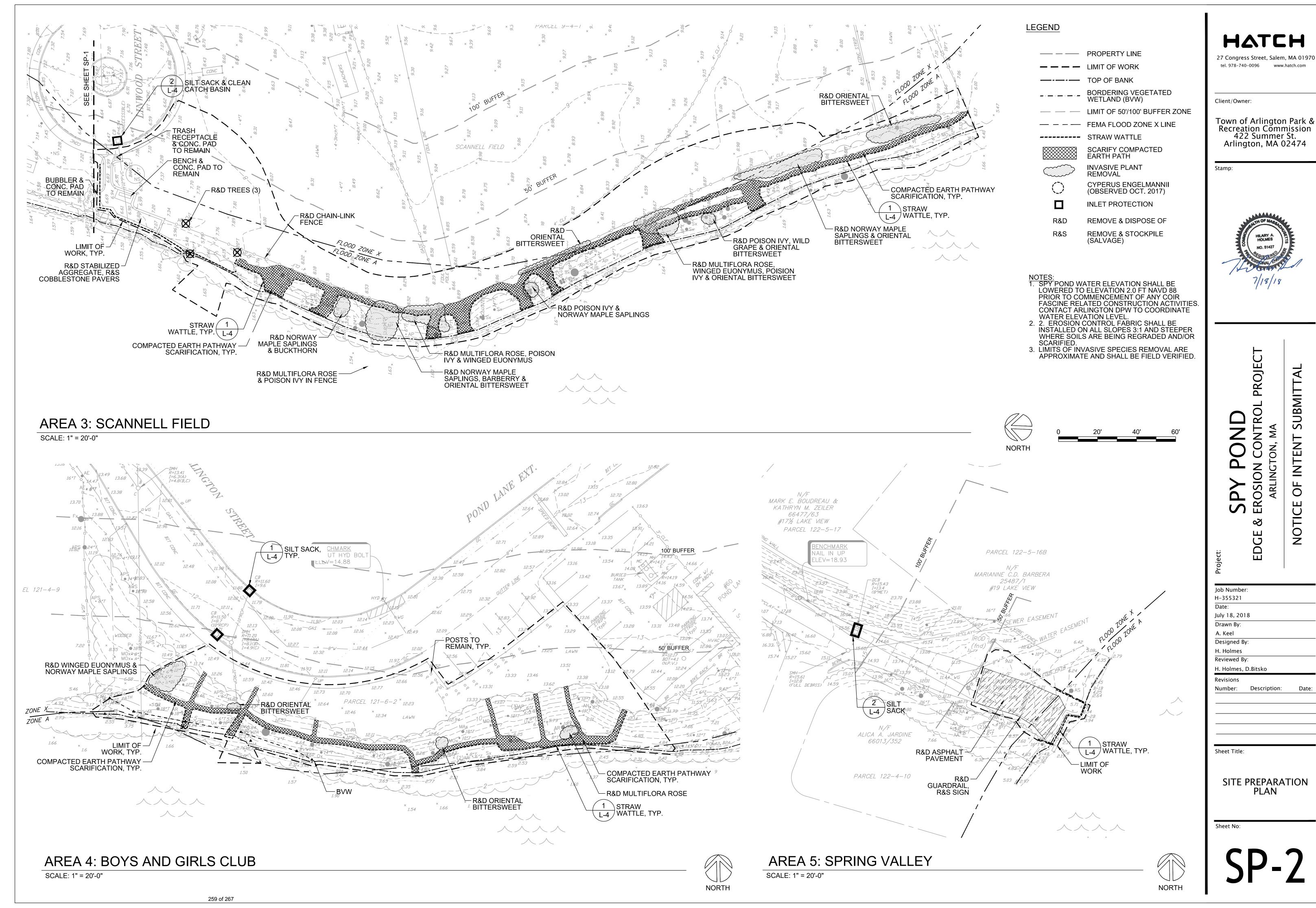
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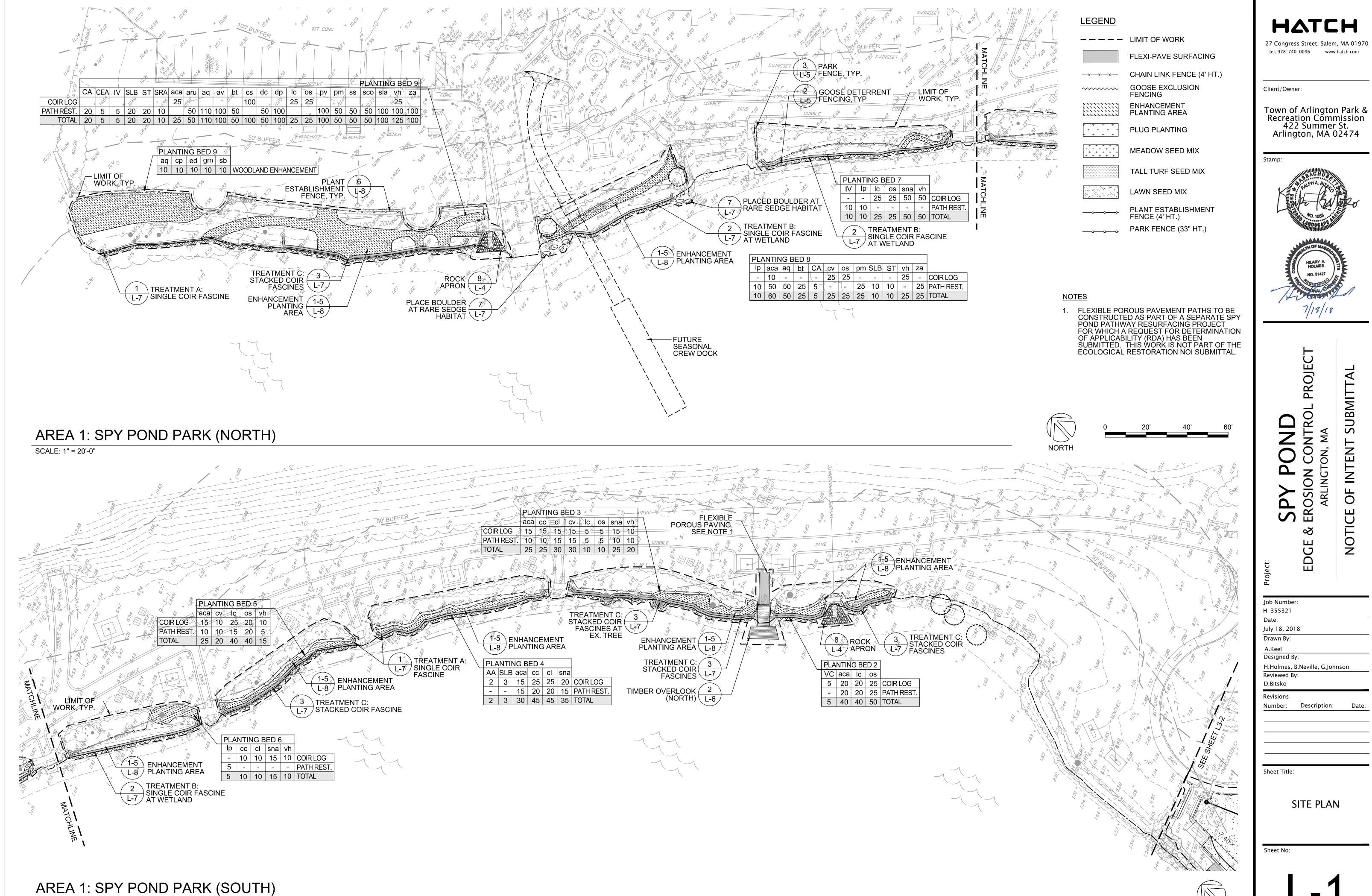
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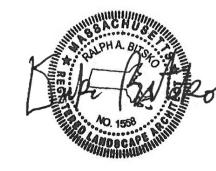


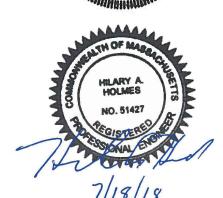
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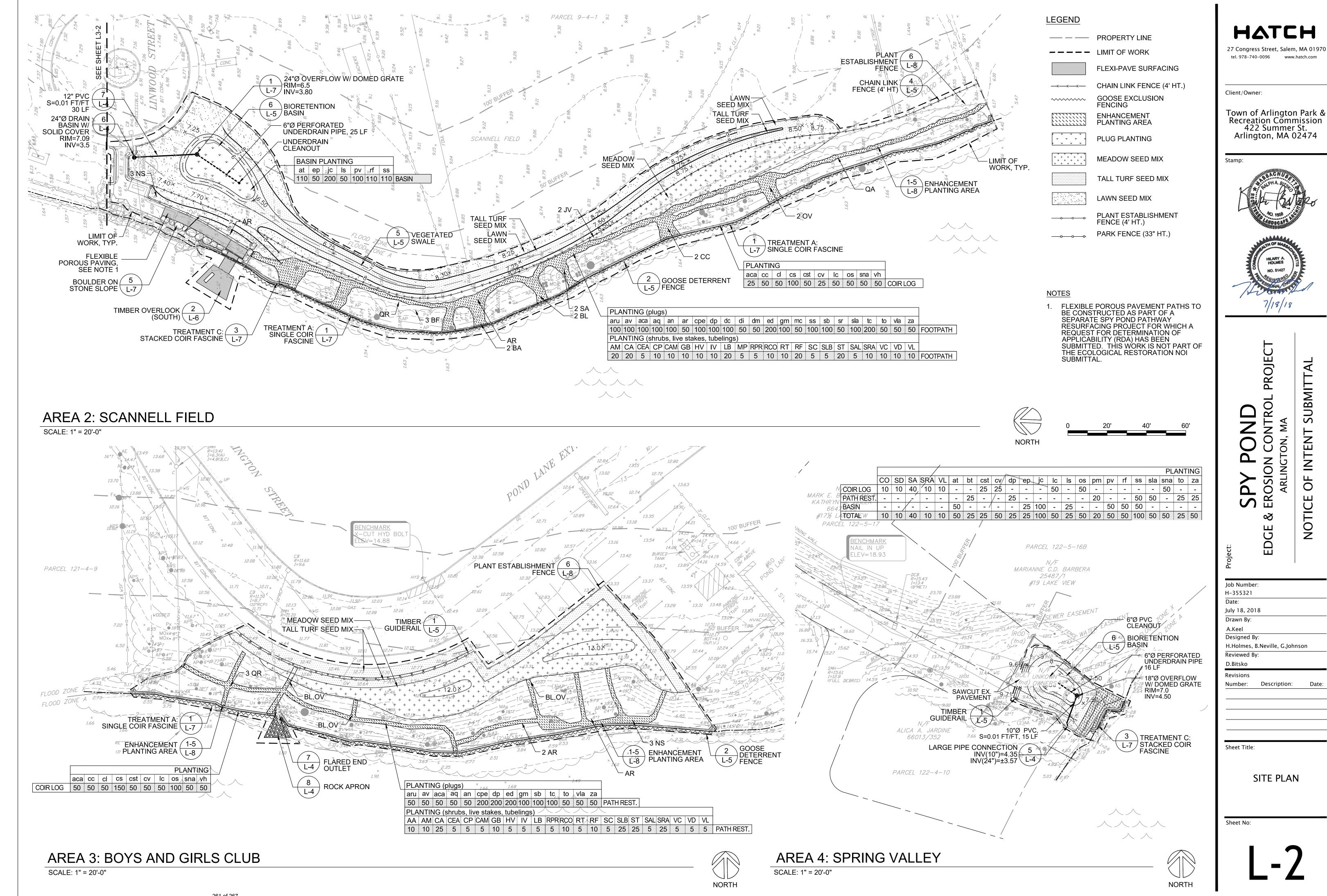


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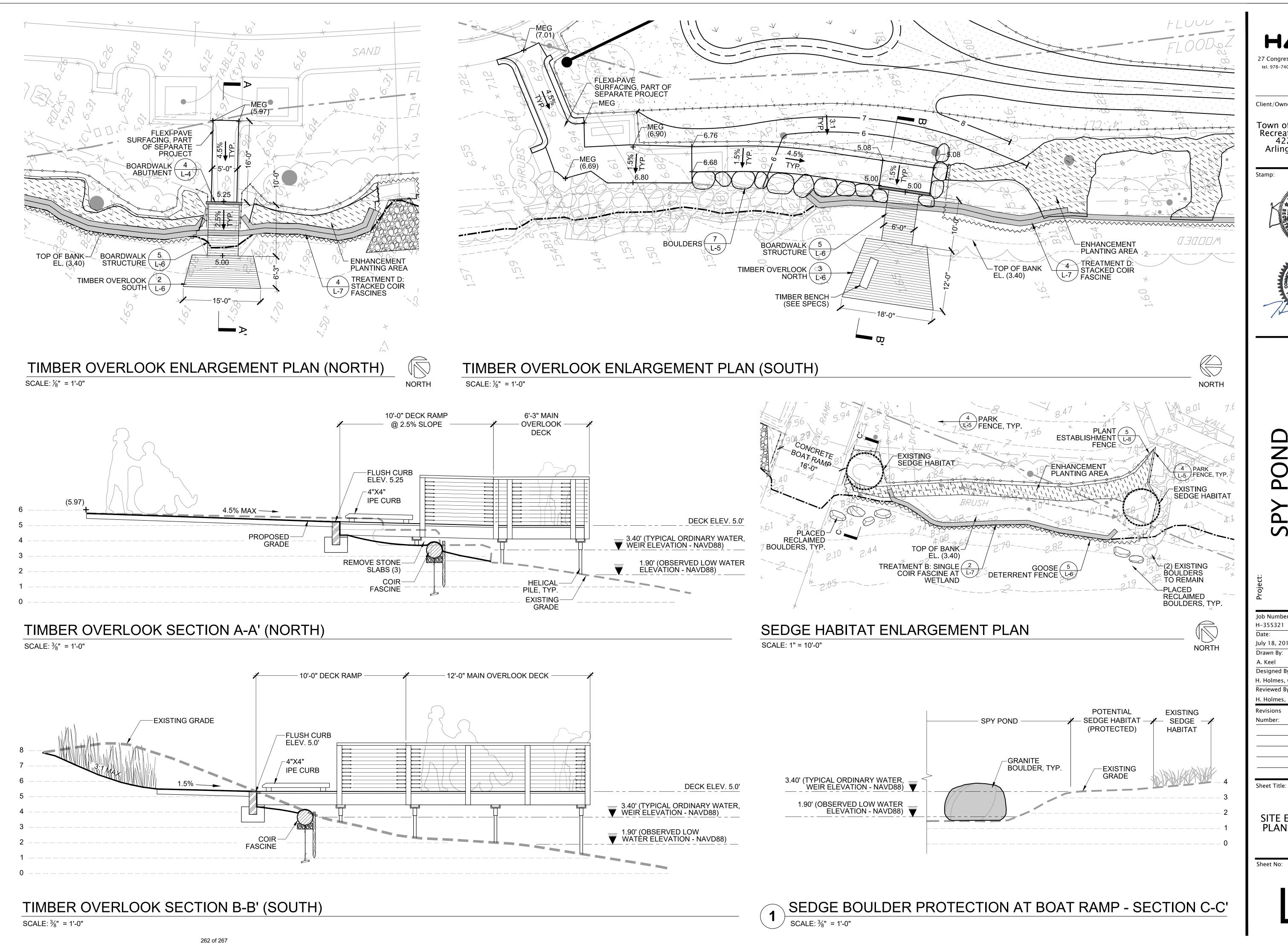


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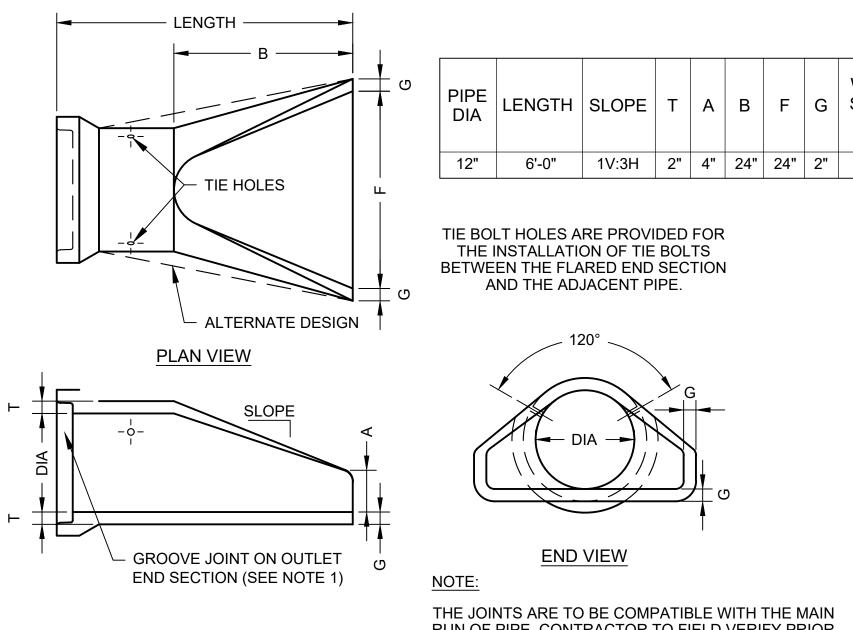


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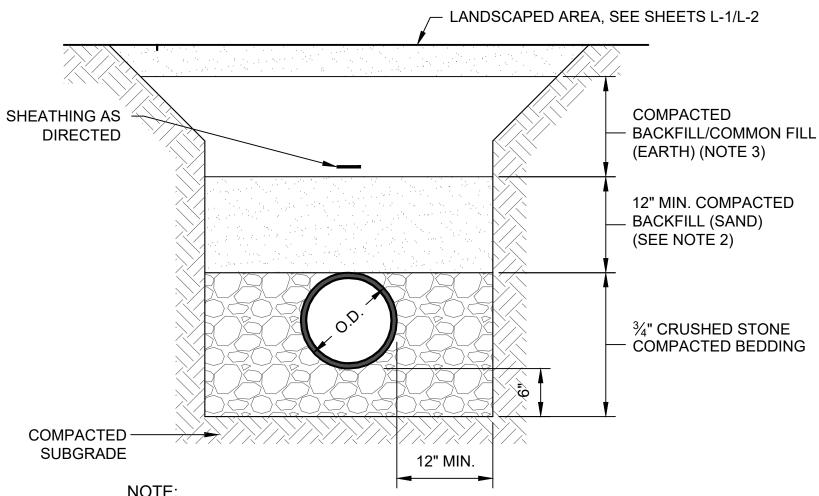
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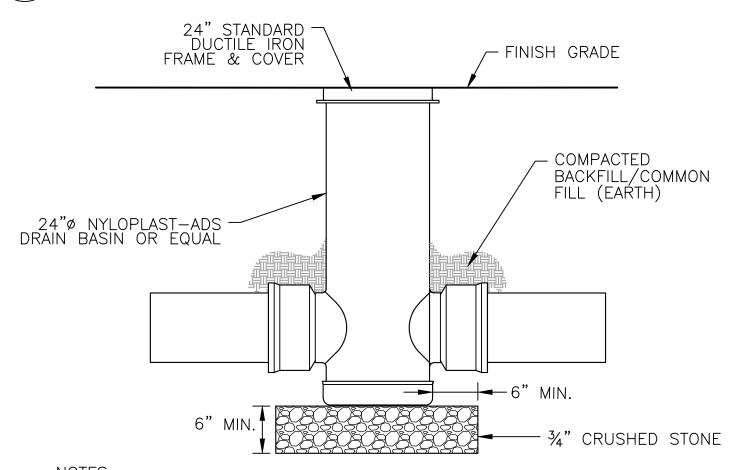
THE JOINTS ARE TO BE COMPATIBLE WITH THE MAIN RUN OF PIPE. CONTRACTOR TO FIELD VERIFY PRIOR TO ORDERING FLARED END.

FLARED END OUTLET SCALE: NTS



- COMPACT BACKFILL IN 12" LIFTS. 2. BACKFILL MATERIAL FOR THIS ZONE SHALL CONTAIN STONES NO LARGER THAN 3 INCHES IN DIAMETER.
- 3. BACKFILL MATERIAL FOR THIS ZONE SHALL CONTAIN STONES NO LARGER THAN 6 INCHES IN DIAMETER.

PIPE TRENCH SCALE: NTS



ROCK APRON DESIGN SCHEDULE								
DISCHARGE PIPE LOCATION	APRON TYPE	PIPE DIA. (IN)	TOP WIDTH (FT)	LENGTH (FT)	WIDTH (FT)	ROCK SIZE	REQUIRED DEPTH (FT)	
SPY POND PARK (NORTH)	RIPRAP	18	4.5	10	14.5	D50=6"	1.5	
SPY POND PARK (SOUTH)	RIPRAP	18	4.5	10	14.5	D50=6"	1.5	
NEAR BOYS & GIRLS CLUB	RIPRAP	12	3	11	14	D50=6"	1.5	

REQUIRED

LENGTH

PIPE

PLAN VIEW

ROCK APRON

ROCK SIZE

- NON-WOVEN

GEOTEXTILE

REQUIRED LENGTH

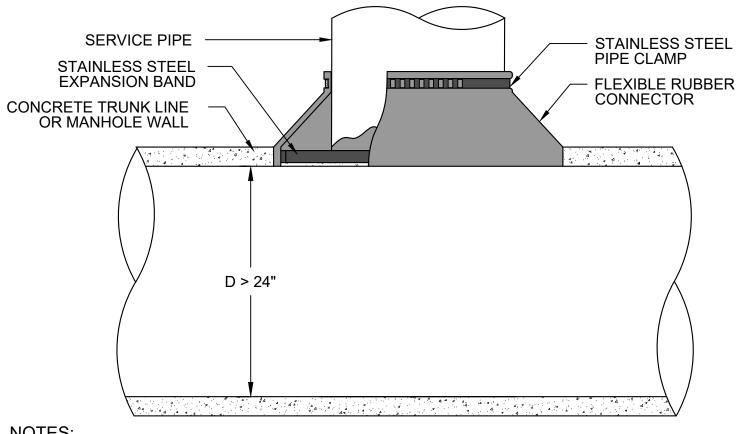
SECTION

(SEE SCHEDULE)

SCALE: NTS

NOTES: 1. FRAME AND COVER SHALL BE DUCTILE IRON PER ASTM A536 GRADE 70-50-05 DRAIN BASIN TO BE CUSTOM MANUFACTURED ACCORDING TO PLAN DETAILS. 3. DRAINAGE CONNECTION STUB JOINT TIGHTNESS SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM D3212 FOR CORRUGATED HDPE (ADS N-12/HANCOR DUAL WALL), N-12 HP, & PVC SEWER. 4. ADAPTERS CAN BE MOUNTED ON ANY ANGLE 0° TO 360°.

DRAIN BASIN



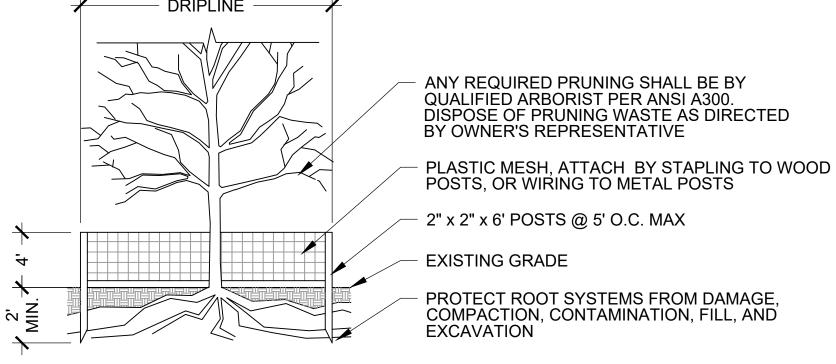
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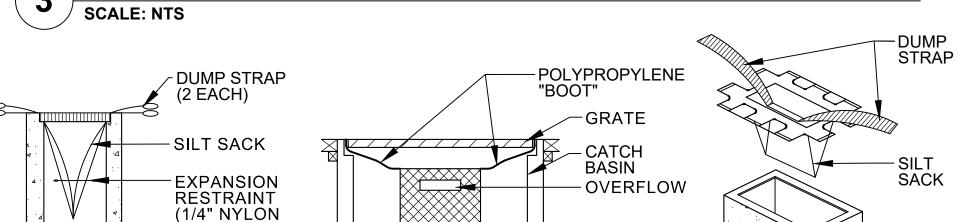
G SECTION

- OPENING IN CONCRETE WALL SHALL BE CORED USING HIGH SPEED DIAMOND DRILL.
- 2. ALL METAL FIXTURES SHALL BE OF STAINLESS STEEL.
- SERVICE LINE SHALL BE FLUSH WITH THE INSIDE OF THE CONCRETE PIPE OR WALL.
- 4. IF TRUNK LINE DIAMETER IS LESS THAN 24" THEN A SADDLE TYPE CONNECTION WILL BE USED.

TYPICAL FIELD CONNECTION TO CONCRETE PIPE SCALE: NTS



- 1. STATUS OF ALL TREES TO BE FIELD VERIFIED BY OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.
- 2. INSTALL TREE PROTECTION FENCE PRIOR TO START OF CONSTRUCTION AND REMOVE UPON COMPLETION PRIOR TO SEEDING.



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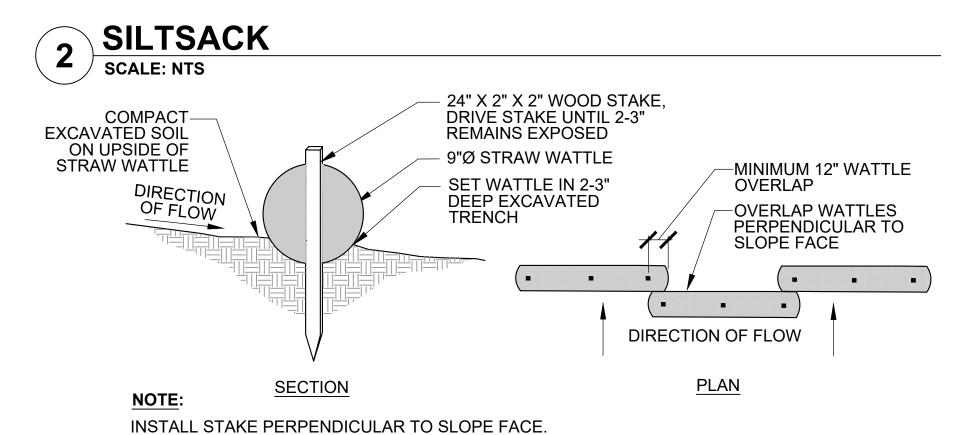
WASHERS) TEMPORARY INLET SEDIMENT FILTER SECTION VIEW

TREE PROTECTION FENCE

ROPE, 2" FLAT

ISOMETRIC VIEW

NOTE: MAINTAIN FILTER IN ACCORDANCE WITH MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATIONS.



STRAW WATTLE

SCALE: NTS

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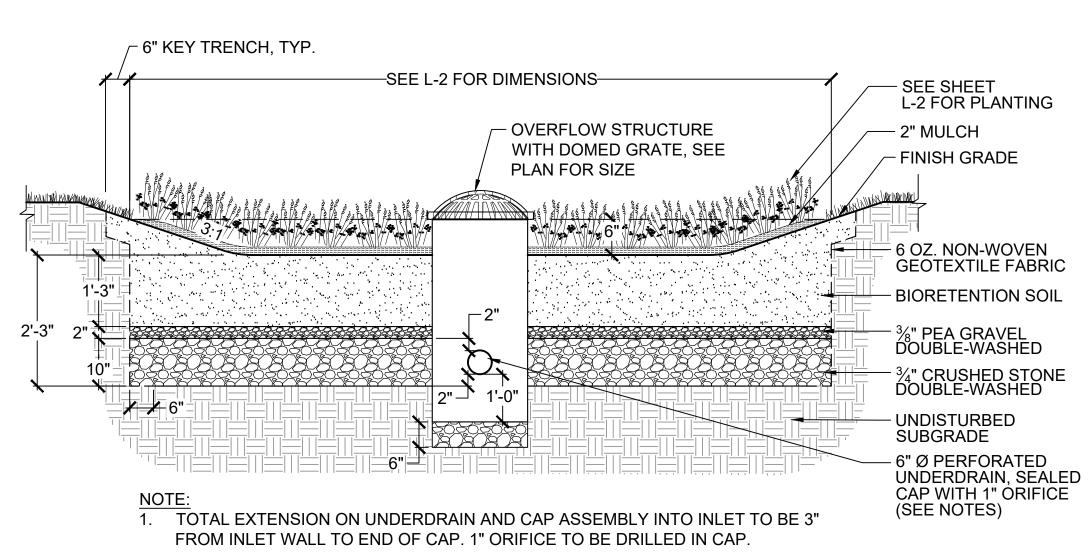
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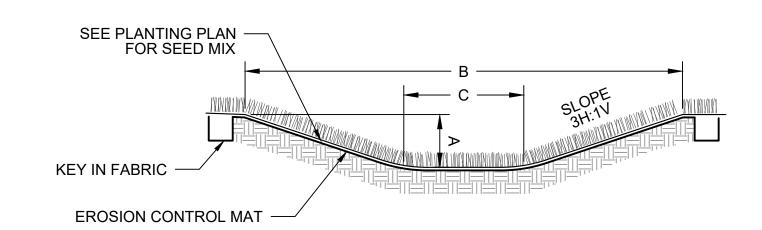
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2. CAP SHALL BE ADS PRODUCT FC POS 06 0000 END PLUG WITH GASKET (OR APPROVED EQUIVALENT). UNDERDRAIN EXTENSION SHALL BE DUAL WALL CLEANOUT ADS 0674AG (OR APPROVED EQUIVALENT).

BIORETENTION BASIN SCALE: NTS



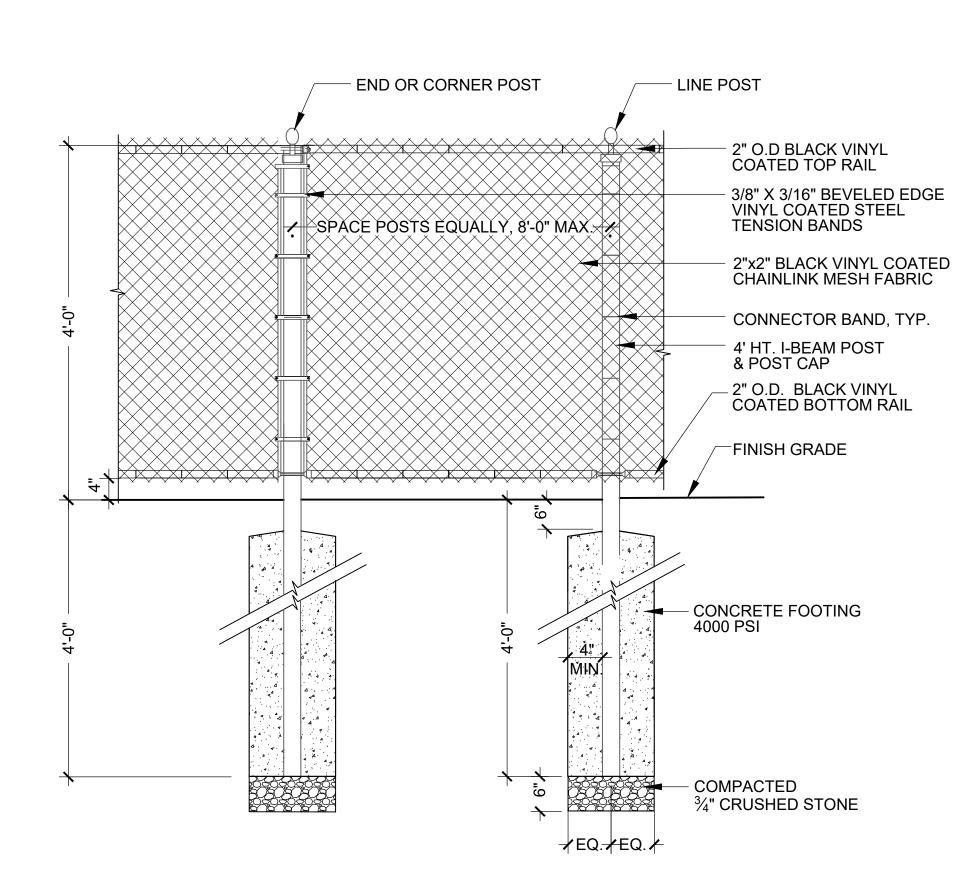
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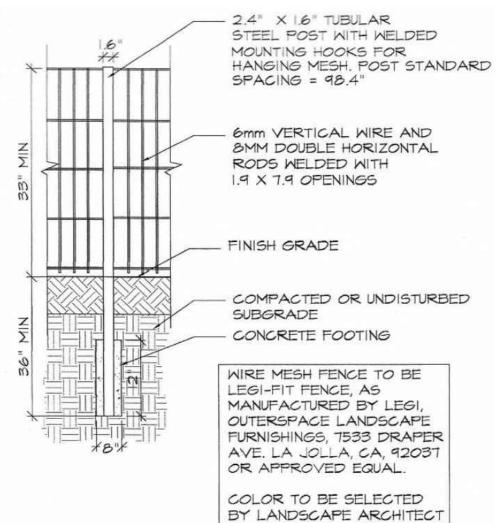
- 1. SWALE LINING SHALL BE A BIODEGRADABLE EROSION CONTROL BLANKET SUCH AS BIONET® S150BN® OR EQUAL WITH A DESIGN PERMISSIBLE SHEAR STRESS UNVEGETATED VELOCITY OF 6 FT/S.
- 2. SWALE SHALL BE VEGETATED PER PLANTING PLAN.

SWALE DESIGN SCHEDULE							
SWALE LOCATION LENTGH (FT) SLOPE (FT/FT) A MIN. DEPTH (FT) MIN. TOP WIDTH (FT) BOTTOM							
SCANNELL FIELD	ANNELL FIELD 320		VARIES, SEE PLAN	VARIES, SEE PLAN	1.0		
SPRING VALLEY	50	0.14	0.5	6.0	3.0		

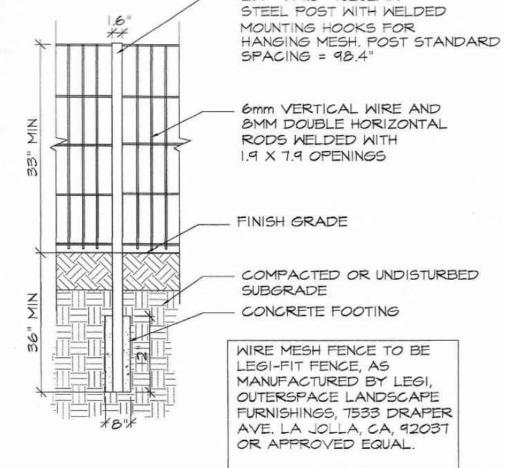




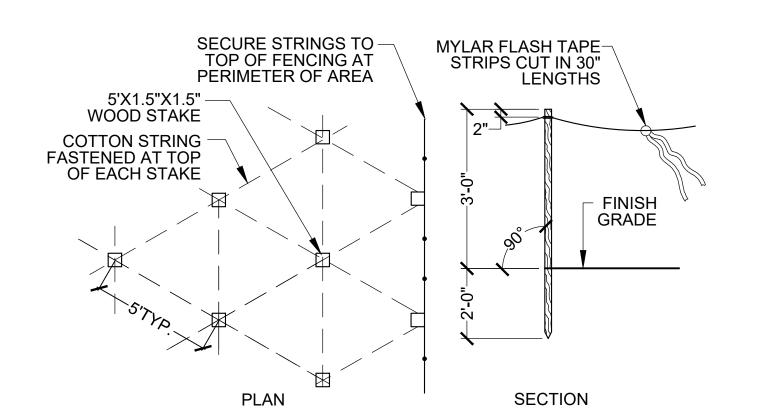




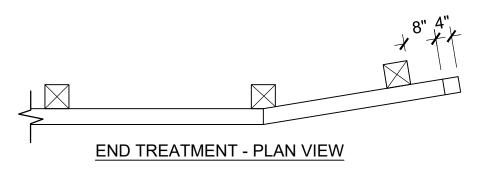
PARK FENCE

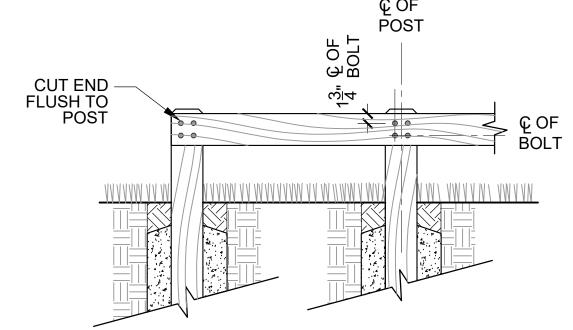


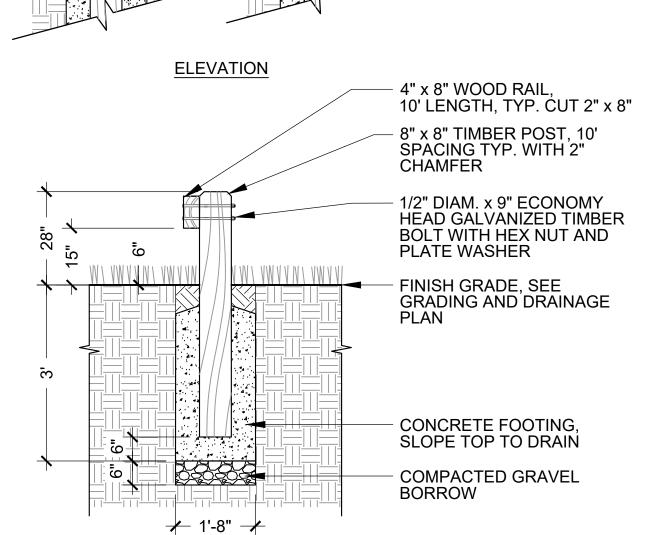
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GOOSE DETERRENT FENCE SCALE: NTS







TIMBER GUIDERAIL SCALE: NTS

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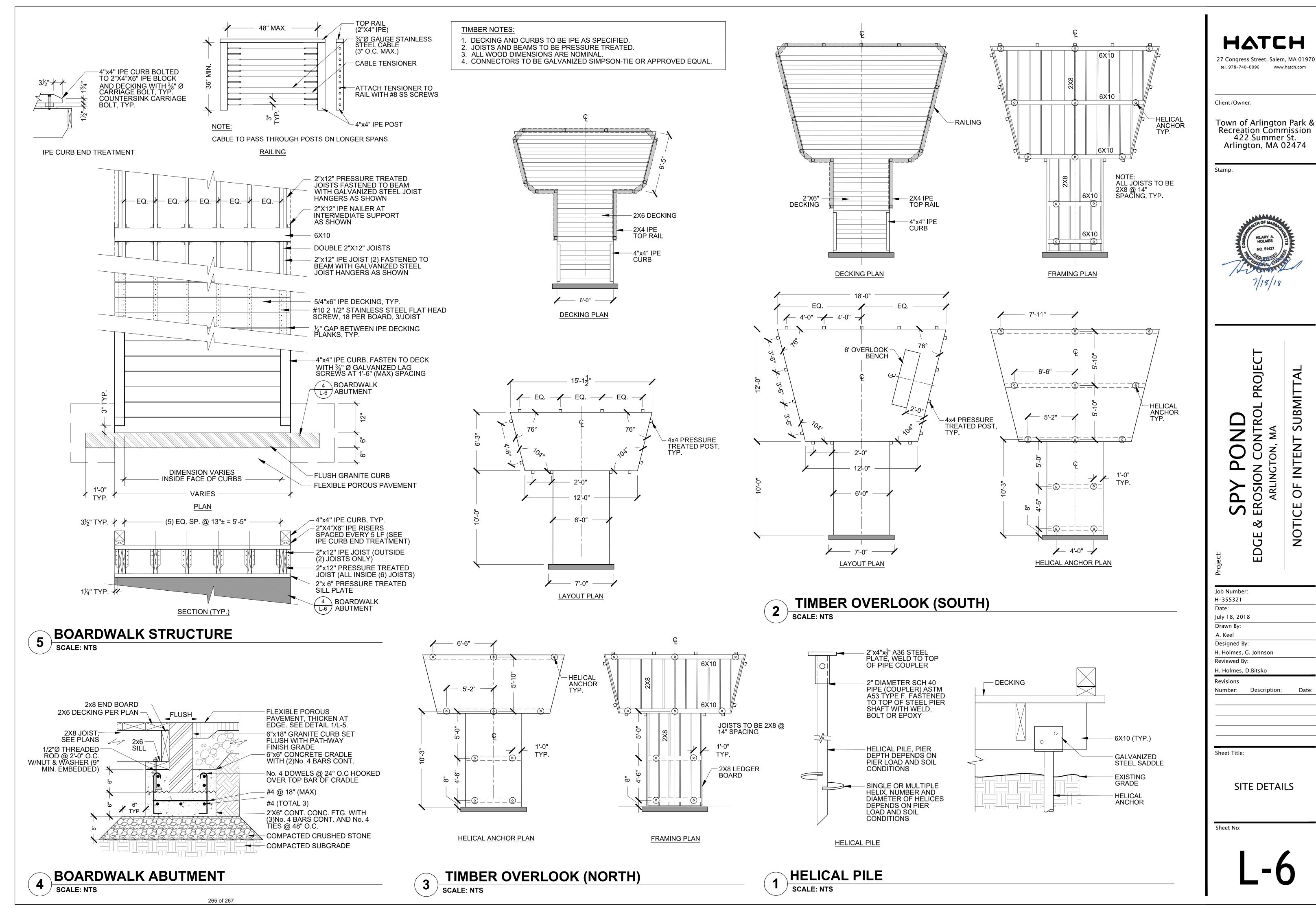
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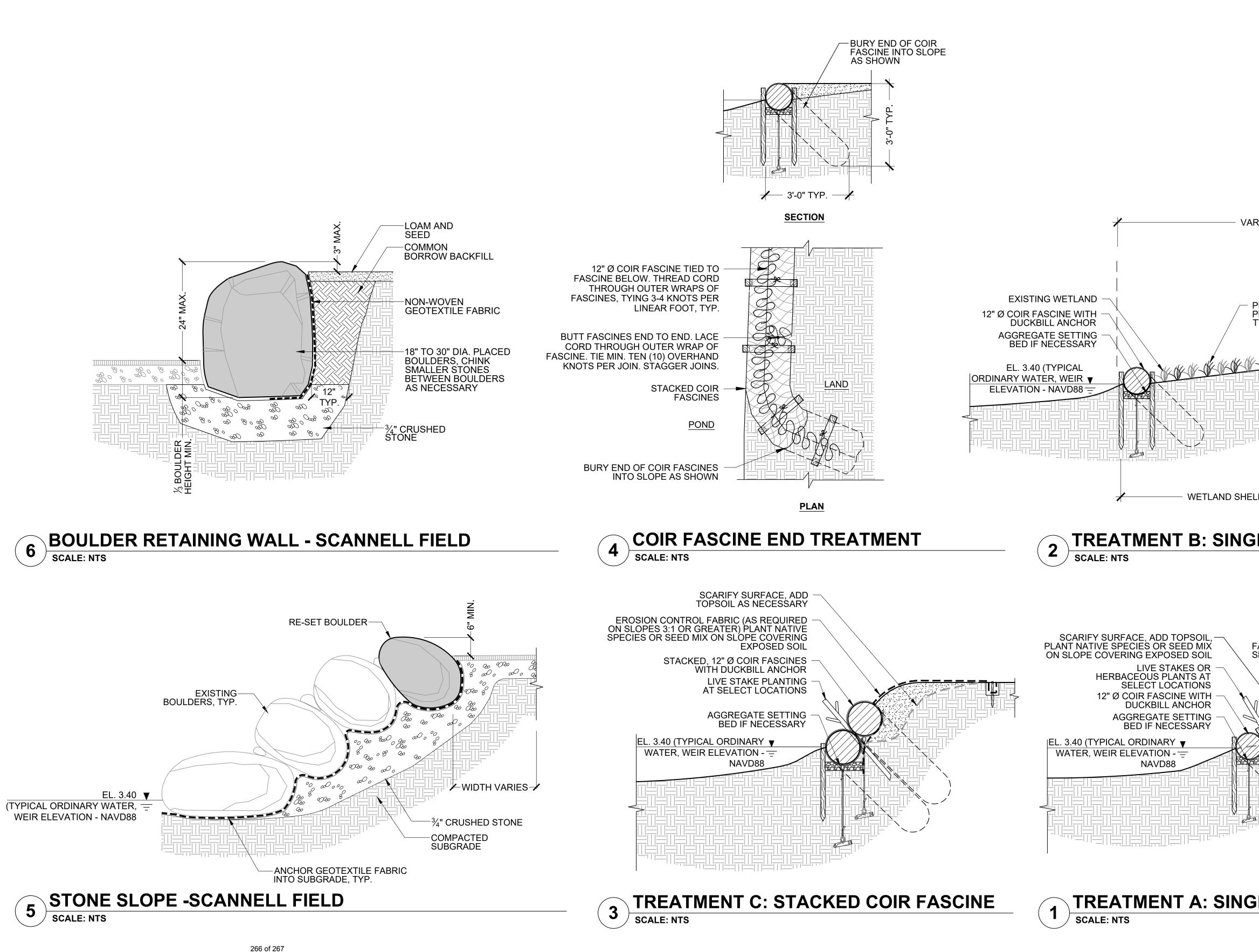


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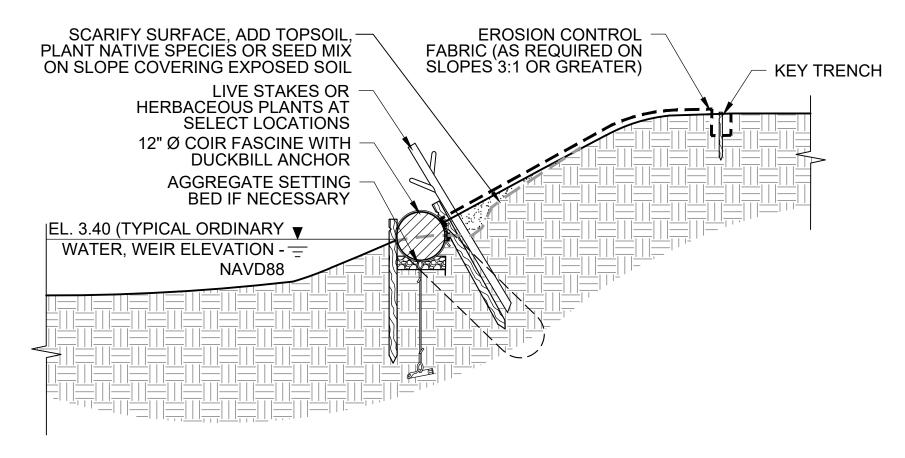
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VARIES SCARIFY COMPACTED SOIL, PLANT NATIVE SPECIES ON SLOPE **COVERING EXPOSED SOIL EROSION CONTROL** FABRIC (AS REQUIRED ON PLUG PLANTING, TYP. SLOPES 3:1 OR GREATER) **KEY TRENCH** NATIVE SHRUB/
- GRASS RIPARIAN -/
BUFFER WETLAND SHELF

TREATMENT B: SINGLE COIR FASCINE AT WETLAND



TREATMENT A: SINGLE COIR FASCINE

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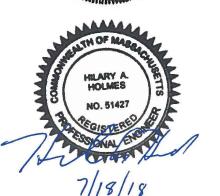
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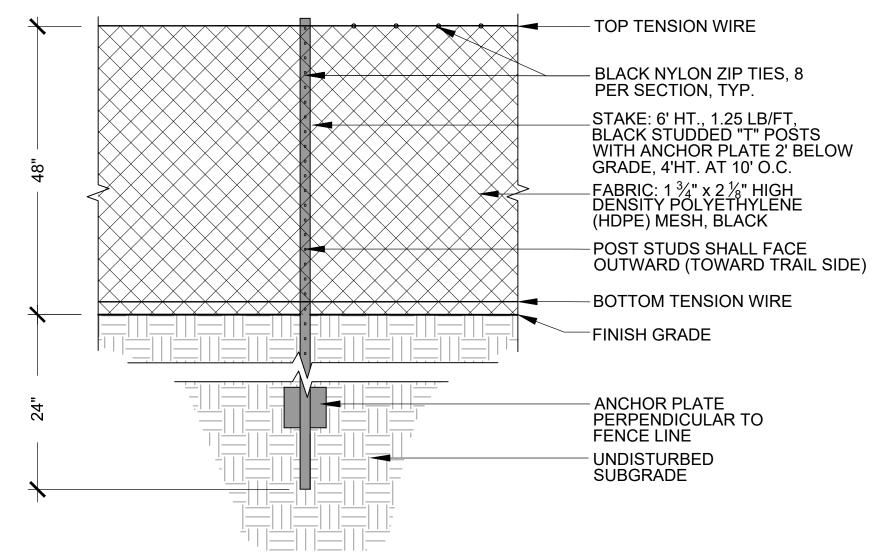
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5		2	3		tubeling	AR	Acer rubrum	red maple
2		2			tubeling	BF	Benthamidia (Cornus) florida	flowering dogwood
2		2			tubeling	ВА	Betula alleghaniensis	yellow birch
5		2	3		tubeling	BL	Betula lenta	black (sweet) birch
2		2			tubeling	CC	Carpinus caroliniana	American hornbeam
2		2			tubeling	JV	Juniperus virginiana	red cedar
6		3	3		tubeling	NS	Nyssa sylvatica	black gum
5		2	3		2' ht.	OV	Ostrya virginiana	hop-hornbeam
1		1	2		2' ht.	QA	Quercus alba	white oak
4		1	3		tubeling	QR	Quercus rubra	red oak
2 36	0	21	15	0	tubeling	SA	Sassafras albidum	sassafras
	/ LIVE STA			_	TAINEDS			
12	2	MES, TUI	10	a #1 CON	tubeling	AA	Aronia (Photinia) arbutifolia	red chokeberry
30	2	20	10		tubeling	AM	Aronia (Photinia) melanocarpa	black chokeberry
70	25	20	25		tubeling	CA	Clethra alnifolia	sweet pepperbush
15	5	5	5		#1	CEA	Ceanothus americanus	New Jersey tea
10				10	live stake	CO	Cephalanthus occidentalis	buttonbush
15		10	5		tubeling	СР	Comptonia peregrina	sweet fern
15		10	5		#1	CAM	Corylus americana	American filbert
20		10	10		#1	GB	Gaylussacia baccata	huckleberry
15		10	5		tubeling	HV	Hamamelis virginiana	witch hazel
25	10	10	5		tubeling	IV	llex verticillata	winterberry
25		20	5		tubeling	LB	Lindera benzoin	spicebush
5		5	-		tubeling	MP	Morella pensylvanica	bayberry
10		5	5		#1	RPR	Rhododendron prinophyllum	early azalea, roseshell
20		10	10		tubeling	RCO	Rhus copallinum	winged sumac, flamelea
15		10	5		tubeling	RT	Rhus typhina	staghorn sumac
20		10	10		#1	RF	Rubus flagellaris	northern dewberry
10		. •		10	live stake	SD	Salix discolor	pussy willow
10		5	5	. •	live stake	SC	Sambucus canadensis (nigra)	elderberry
63	33	5	25		tubeling	SLB	Spiraea alba var. latifolia	meadowsweet
75	30	20	25		tubeling	ST	Spiraea tomentosa	steeplebush
50		5	5	40	#1	SAL	Swida (Cornus) alternifolia	pagoda dogwood
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20	5	10	5		tubeling	VC	Vaccinium corymbosum	highbush blueberry
15		10	5		live stake	VD	Viburnum dentatum	northern arrowwood
25		10	5	10	live stake	VL	Viburnum lentago	nannyberry
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335	185	100	50		2" plug	aq	Aquilegia canadensis	columbine
200	50	100	50		2" plug	an	Aralia nudicaulis	wild sarsaparilla
100	50	50			2" plug	ar	Aralia racemosa	spikenard
85	60			25	2" plug	bt	Baptisia tinctoria	yellow wild indigo
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150	50	100			2" plug	dc	Desmodium canadense	Canadian tick trefoil
50		50			2" plug	di	Dryopteris intermedia	intermediate woodfern
50		50			2" plug	dm	Dryopteris marginalis	marginal woodfern
450	50	200	200		2" plug	ed	Eurybia (Aster) divaricata	white wood aster
210	10	100	100		2" plug	gm	Geranium maculatum	wild geranium
50		50			2" plug	mc	Maianthemum canadense	Canada mayflower
100	100				2" plug	pv	Panicum virgatum	switchgrass
70	50			20	2" plug	pm	Pycnanthemum muticum	short-toothed mtn-mint
220	70	100		50	2" plug	ss	Schizachyrium scoparium	little bluestem
250	50	100	100	- 55	2" plug	sb	Solidago bicolor	white goldenrod, silverro
50		50	100		2" plug	sr	Smilacina racemosa	false Solomon's seal
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260	110	100		50	2" plug	sla	Symphyotrichum laeve	smooth aster
320	20	200	100		2" plug	tc	Tiarella cordifolia	foamflower
135	10	50	50	25	2" plug	to	Tradescantia ohiensis	smooth spiderwort
100	100	55	- 55		2" plug	vh	Verbena hastata	blue vervain
100		50	50		2" plug	vla	Viola labradorica	American dog-violet
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160		110		50	2" plug	at	Asclepias tuberosa	butterfly weed
180	80	50	50		2" plug	cc	Carex comosa	bearded sedge
185	85	50	50		2" plug	cl	Carex lupulina	hop sedge
350	100	100	150		2" plug	cs	Carex scoparia	broom sedge
175	50	50	50	25	2" plug	cst	Carex strigosus	straw-colored flatsedge
225	125	25	50	25	2" plug	csi	Carex vulpinoidea	fox sedge
75	.20	50	- 55	25	2" plug	ep	Echinacea purpurea	purple cone flower
300		200		100	2" plug	jc	Juncus canadensis	Canada rush
75		50		25	2" plug	ls	Liatris spicata	gayfeather
240	140	50	50	23		lc	Lobelia cardinalis	cardinal flower
		JU	JU		2" plug			
25	25	F0	400		2" plug	lp	Ludwigia palustris	water primrose
350	150	50	100	50	2" plug	os	Onoclea sensibilis	sensitive fern
150		100		50	2" plug	pν	Panicum virgatum	switchgrass
160		110		50	2" plug	rf	Rudbeckia fulgida	black-eyed Susan
4 -		110		50	2" plug	ss	Schizachyrium scoparium	little bluestem
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WRAP TOP EDGE OF FABRIC INTO 6"WX6"D KEY TRENCH, SECURE WITH 6" STAKES @ 6" O.C. AND BACKFILL, TYP. - 6" WOOD "ECO-STAKE" OR APPROVED EQUAL @ 24" O.C. IN FIELD, TYP. SEED MIX, UNDER FABRIC, SEE NOTE #2 BELOW **EROSION CONTROL FABRIC** FLUSH WITH FINISHED GRADE

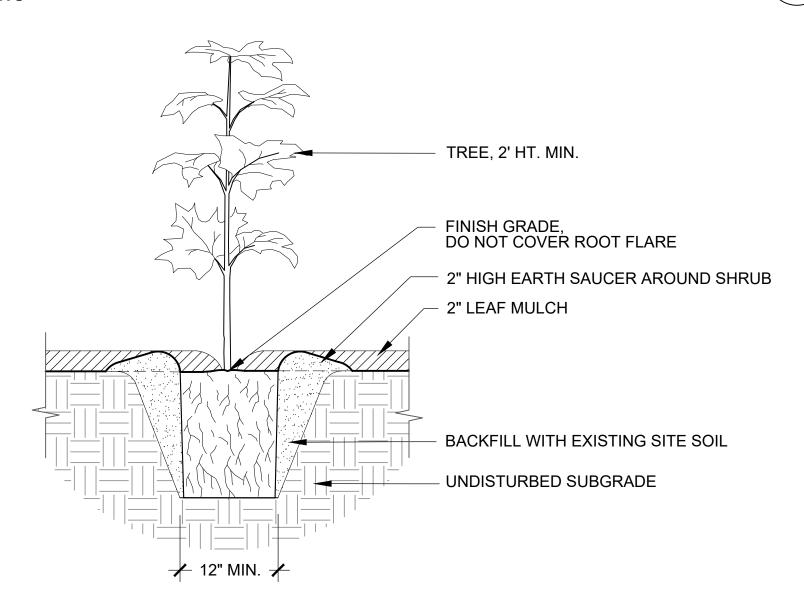
1. SEE SHEET L-2 FOR AREAS TO RECEIVE EROSION CONTROL FABRIC. 2. REFER TO SPEC SECTION 02950, RESTORATION SEEDING, FOR SPECIES COMPOSITION OF MIX.

EROSION CONTROL FABRIC SCALE: NTS

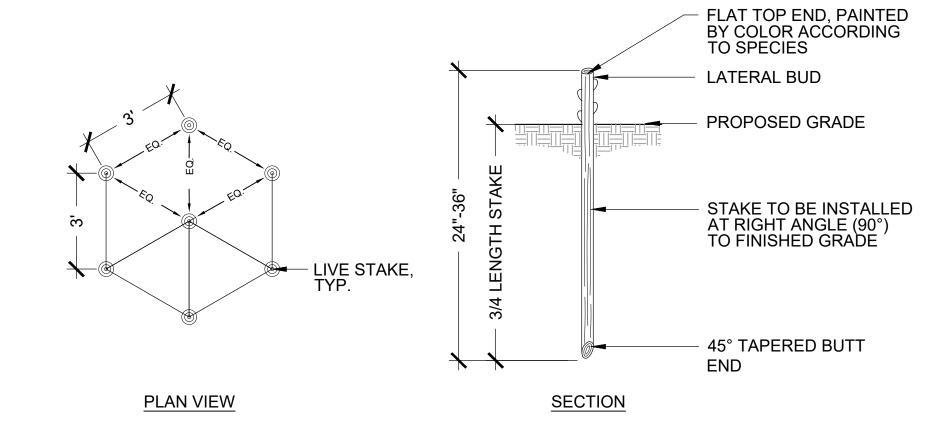


1. AT CHANGES IN DIRECTION, FENCE SHALL BE GENTLE CURVE, NOT EXCEEDING A RADIUS OF 170.

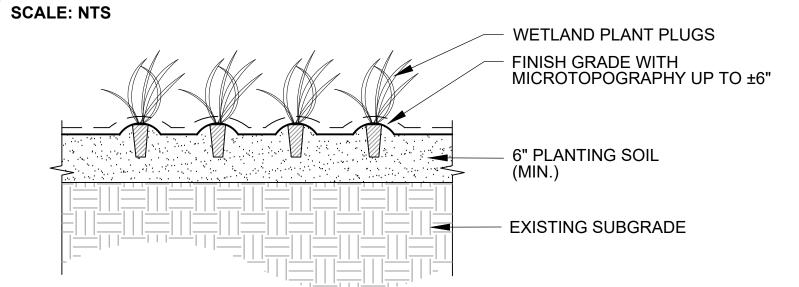
PLANT ESTABLISHMENT FENCE



TREE PLANTING (2' HT) SCALE: NTS



LIVE STAKE PLANTING

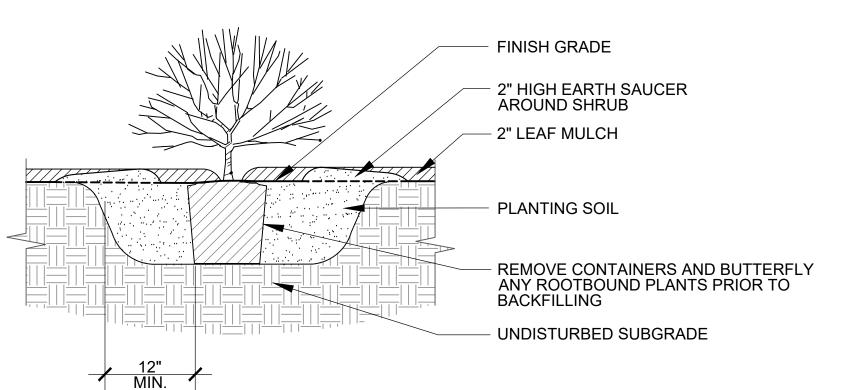


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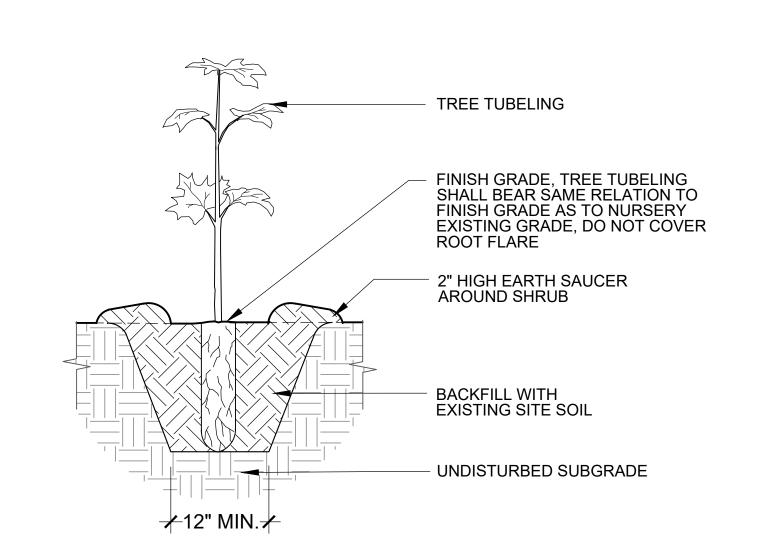
- 1. EROSION CONTROL FABRIC TO BE INSTALLED PRIOR TO PLANTING.
- 2. CUT "X" PATTERN IN EROSION CONTROL FABRIC 4"X4" TO ALLOW FOR PLUG PLANTING.
- 3. SEE PLANT SCHEDULE FOR PLUG SPACING.

PLUG PLANTING

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SHRUB PLANTING



TREE PLANTING (TUBELING) SCALE: NTS

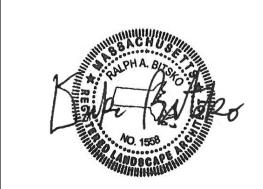
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